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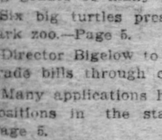

Fair

Fair and warmer today and warm tomorrow is the prediction for Pittsburgh and vicinity by the official forecaster at Washington. The maximum temperature yesterday was 74 and the minimum 65 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 5:13 and set cloudy at 7:39. The daily report as furnished by the local weather bureau follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m..	29.73	66	85	W.	Cloudy.
8 p. m..	29.76	66	89	N.W.	Cloudy.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for July 30:

	1905	1904		1905	1904
Maximum	74	85	Mean	70	72
Minimum	65	69	Precipitation	.68	9
Nor. temp. 31 yrs...	75		Nor. precip. 31 yrs...	.12	
Dfcy. for day	5		Excess for day	.55	
Exc. since July 1...	1		Dfcy. since July 1...	1.67	
Dfcy. since Jan. 1..	151		Dfcy. since Jan. 1...	1.76	

Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair and warmer Monday; Tuesday, fair, diminishing northwest winds.

Ohio—Fair Monday and Tuesday; diminishing northwest winds.

West Virginia—Fair Monday and Tuesday.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Chicago	72	Clear	Cincinnati	78	PtCldy
Dubuque	80	Clear	Indianapolis	78	Cloudy
Cairo	74	Rain	San Antonio	94	Clear
St. Louis	78	Cloudy	Kansas City	78	Cloudy
Memphis	78	Cloudy	Des Moines	80	PtCldy
Omaha	66	Cloudy	Yellowstone	70	Cloudy
St. Paul	70	PtCldy	New York	68	Rain
Bismarck	68	Cloudy	New Orleans	88	Clear
Louisville	78	Cloudy	Galveston	84	Clear
Buffalo	62	Rain	Jacksonville	86	PtCldy
Denver	68	Rain			

PLAN TO AID BOATE FAILS

Trades Unionists Resent Insult at Hands of the Citizens Bosses.

REFUSE TO INDORSE

When They Found Policemen at Old City Hall, Meeting Was Postponed.

REAL WORKERS FOR DODDS

William Boate was not indorsed for a place on the county ticket yesterday by the representatives of labor. The effort of the Citizens bosses to pack the meeting in Old City Hall called forth the condemnation of the honest members of trades unions and the convention was postponed indefinitely. It is probable there will be no future attempt to indorse.

In order to get votes for Boate every man on the city pay roll who could show the slightest pretense of ever having been identified with a labor union, was ordered to attend the meeting. Scores of policemen in citizens dress were sent to the convention. Most of them had freshly printed withdrawal cards from various unions. It is the general belief among the real representatives of labor the cards were not genuine. To assist the plain clothes men were about 15 officers in uniform. This act of the city administration was taken as an insult by the trades unionists and was one of the principal causes for adjourning the convention.

Dodds Had the Votes.

Boate and John Fernau, district master workman of the Knights of Labor, were apparently working together in encouraging the city administration to pack the hall with firemen, policemen and members of the Pavers' and Rammers' union, who work for the city. Fernau tried to prevent the adjournment of the convention, but the committee of twenty-one refused to take his advice. It also declined to allow Boate to make a statement.

William Dodds, secretary of the United Mine Workers, was the one candidate who went to the convention depending on the honest representatives of labor. He was accompanied by a couple of hundred mine workers and had a fair vote been taken he would have received the indorsement. Mr. Dodds has not posed as a professional labor agitator ready to deliver his influence to the political party offering the best inducement. For this reason the rank and file among the trades unionists is willing to assist him to secure any political preferment he desires. His friends says he will probably be found in the Republican primaries.

Insult to the Workmen.

Uriah Bellingham, vice president of the United Mine Workers, is a member of the committee of twenty-one. After the meeting yesterday he made this statement: "When we arrived at Old City hall today we found the hall in possession of policemen in uniform and in citizens dress, a large number of firemen and other city employes. The presence of the police was an insult to the honest workmen who went there to vote for their choice. Representatives of labor are not able to hold meetings without having blucoats to watch them.

"William Dodds had a large body of miners and representatives of other trades present and if there had been any way of securing a fair vote he would have won. For some time I have urged the necessity of each representative in the meeting having credentials from his union. In this way a roll could have been made up and an honest ballot taken. This fair plan was not acceptable to the opponents of Mr. Dodds and was not adopted.

Indefinitely Postponed.

"Today when we saw the situation in the hall, a meeting of the committee of twenty-one was held. It was decided to report in favor of an indefinite postponement of the convention because of the presence of police and others who were not entitled to participate. John Fernau and two others opposed the postponement, but they were outvoted. Chairman William J. Burke reported our decision to the convention and it was adjourned at once. I am of the opinion no further attempt will be made to secure an indorsement. Mr. Dodds will be a candidate for a county office, but he will go direct to the people."

Chairman Burke and Joseph A. McDonald, secretary pro tem. of the committee, issued this statement:

"The labor men's mass meeting was adjourned indefinitely without any action being taken, at the instance of the executive committee. The executive committee, on its arrival at the hall, found there were men at the door exercising the function of the doorkeepers who had not been appointed by the chairman of the committee. They are men now in the employ of the city. On entering the hall it found a number of policemen in uniform in charge of the hall.

Meeting Was Packed.

"The executive committee was immediately called together to consider the situation, and notice was taken not only of the actual situation, but also of the fact responsible labor men asserted many policemen had been ordered to be present in plain clothes for the purpose of influencing the choice of the convention.

"As it seemed to the committee the presence of the police was an imputation on the intelligence and self-restraint of the labor men, and would be more likely to provoke disorder than restrain it, a motion was offered, which was carried, the meeting should be adjourned indefinitely.

"The executive committee took no action upon the assertions efforts to pack the meeting in the interest of a favorable candidate had been made, but it is the unanimous sense of the committee the labor men should be allowed to exercise

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COL. M'GIFFIN DEAD

Hero of Two Wars and One of Washington County's Famous Sons, Passes Away.

CAME OF PATRIOTIC FAMILY

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Pa., July 30.—Col. Norton McGiffin, a veteran of the Mexican and civil wars, died at his home in East Main street today, aged 81.

Col. McGiffin was born in Washington and came of a distinguished family. His grandfather, Nathaniel McGiffin, was born in Scotland, and came to America before he was 21 years of age and served through the revolutionary war. He was with Washington in the crossing of the Delaware and was present at the surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown. Nathaniel McGiffin came to Washington in 1802. He died in 1819 and was buried with military honors in the graveyard at Amity, this county. Nathaniel McGiffin left only one son, Thomas, who became a distinguished lawyer and practiced in the courts of Washington, Fayette and Greene counties. He was an intimate friend of Henry Clay. His youngest son was Norton McGiffin, who died today, and who was graduated from Washington college in 1811.

Soon after his graduation he went to Uniontown and read law with the late Judge Ewing. When the Mexican war broke out he enlisted with the First regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, Company K, of Pittsburgh, which was known as the Duquesne Grays. He served throughout the war, participating in the principal engagements. His company met with a greater proportionate loss of killed and wounded than any other organization in that war. Col. McGiffin was injured in the battle of Pueblo. He and Col. William C. Winebiddle of Pittsburgh were separated from the rest of the command and compelled to cut their way through almost an entire company of Mexican soldiers.

Successful in Politics.

At the close of the Mexican war McGiffin received his commission as colonel from the governor of Pennsylvania. He returned to Washington in the following year and was a candidate for county treasurer. He was elected by a large majority and served in that capacity from 1849 to 1852, retiring to his Washington county farm at the expiration of his term of office. In 1859 he again entered Washington county politics and was nominated for sheriff and was again elected by a handsome majority, although the rest of the ticket was defeated. He served one term in the office. In 1861, at the call of President Lincoln, he enlisted in the Washington Invincibles for duty in the Civil war. The command went into camp at Pittsburgh and was incorporated into Company E, Twelfth Pennsylvania volunteer infantry, and Norton McGiffin was elected lieutenant colonel of the regiment. At the close of his three months' term of service, McGiffin was transferred to the Eighty-fifth regiment, Pennsylvania volunteer infantry, retaining his rank of lieutenant colonel. During the hard Peninsular campaign under General McClellan he contracted fever and was compelled to resign his commission. He returned to Washington and a short time afterward removed to Ohio county, West Virginia, where he lived for four years. He engaged in farming in Washington county for 10 years and then again entered politics. He was a candidate on the Republican ticket for the state legislature, being elected. He held office for one term.

In 1882 he left Washington, removing to Ida Grove, Ida county, Iowa, where he remained for four years, removing in 1886 to Fair Haven, New York. In 1890 he received the appointment of United States consul at Port Rowan, on Lake Erie, in Ontario, Canada. In 1892 he was appointed consul at Port Hope, Canada, where he remained for two years. He returned to Washington in 1894, where he had lived ever since.

Father of Naval Hero.

In 1853 McGiffin married Miss Sarah Houston Quail, daughter of James Quail of South Strabane township, Washington county. To their union were born the following children: Mrs. G. W. Henshaw of Washington, Thomas McGiffin of Honolulu, Hawaii; James Q. McGiffin, who died several years ago; Philo Norton McGiffin, who died in 1891 as a result of wounds received in commanding a Chinese war vessel in the conflict with Japan, and the Rev. Nathaniel McGiffin, who is pastor of a Presbyterian church in Nebraska. Mrs. McGiffin died in Janu-

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VETERAN ANSWERS LAST ROLL CALL

COL. NORTON M'GIFFIN.

REJECT BRITISH OFFER

Zionists Dismiss Plan to Found a Jewish Colony in African Territory.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

BASLE, SWITZERLAND, July 30.—By an overwhelming majority the Zionist congress this afternoon decided not to accept the offer of Great Britain of a tract of land in East Africa for the formation of a Zionist colony. Israel Zangwill, the novelist, strongly urged the acceptance of this offer.

A special sitting of the congress was called for 9 o'clock last evening for the discussion of this subject, four orators supporting and four opposing Great Britain's proposition. The debate lasted over six hours and President Nordau eventually suspended the sitting at dawn owing to the tumultuous scenes. The sitting was resumed at noon today when the committee having the matter in hand presented the following resolution:

"That the Zionist congress firmly maintains the principle for the foundation of the colony in the Jewish fatherland, Palestine, or in that vicinity. The congress thanks Great Britain for her offer of African territory, the consideration of which, however, is terminated, and hopes that Great Britain will continue to aid in the solution of the Jewish question."

The resolution was adopted by a large majority amid loud protests from the Socialist section, the members of which left the building. The sitting was concluded with enthusiastic cheering.

A second session of the congress was held tonight, when Mr. Leon, in the name of the American delegates, proposed a vote of gratitude to the memory of John Hay, who "so often lent assistance to the Jewish nation."

UNKNOWN'S BIG GIFT.

Ten Thousand Dollars Donated by One Man for Work of Young Peoples' Missionary Society.

SILVER BAY, N. Y., July 30.—The closing service of the fourth Silver Bay conference of the Young People's Missionary movement was held tonight. It was announced that 993 delegates had been registered at the conference, compared with 437 last year. Sixteen denominations were represented, the five largest denominational groups being the Methodist Episcopal, Congregational, Presbyterian, Baptist and Protestant Episcopal, in the order named.

Funds to the amount of about $12,500 were raised for the expense of the movement during the coming year, $10,000 of this amount being subscribed by one unnamed visitor.

WILL PURGE DEPARTMENT

Secretary Wilson Has Quietly Dismissed a Number of His Employes.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

OYSTER BAY, July 30.—Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture is expected at Sagamore Hill tomorrow. His visit will enable him and the president to discuss the situation in the department as it relates to the investigations now in progress.

It is probable Secretary Wilson would have come to Oyster Bay before this had it not been for the unsettled condition in his department, which rendered it practically impossible for him to leave Washington. He is pressing every phase of the investigation in progress and will develop every fact the country ought to know. That the president is confident the secretary will purge the department of any scandal that may attach to it is evidenced by the fact that he has not interfered with the pending investigations. All matters brought to his attention have been turned over to Secretary Wilson with instructions to inquire into them. This the secretary has done, and his work has the approval of the president.

It is the determination of both the president and Secretary Wilson to clear the department of agriculture of every form of "graft." To this end the likelihood is that every bureau of the department will be inquired into carefully to ascertain whether any such condition exists as was developed in the bureau of statistics.

Quietly but effectively, Secretary Wilson has been working to this end for many months. Many employes of the department have been dropped from the rolls, practically without the knowledge of the general public. Some have been dismissed outright, while others have been permitted to resign.

Secretary Root Goes to Labrador.

UTICA, N. Y., July 30.—Secretary of State Root and Col. William Cary Sanger, former assistant secretary of war, accompanied by Mr. Root's sons, Elihu, Jr., and Edward, left Utica today for Montreal. Thence they go to St. Johns, N. F., and from there will sail for Labrador. They expect to be absent a month.

Greece Has New Minister of Marine.

ATHENS, July 30.—M. Boudouris, minister of marine, has been appointed minister of war, and M. Delyannis has been given the portfolio of minister of marine.

FLASH KILLS FIVE

Crowded Bath House at Coney Island Is Struck During a Severe Storm.

DEATH FOLLOWS A FLOOD

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 30.—During a thunderstorm of terrific intensity which passed over New York this afternoon, five persons were struck by lightning and instantly killed, and nine were seriously injured, at the Parkway baths, Coney island. At the same time one man was killed and three were prostrated at Gravesend beach.

THE DEAD.

GEORGE DENWITTA, Brooklyn.
JACOB FRANKEL, Manhattan.
ROBERT F. WASCH, Bronx borough.
CHARLES BENNERLE, Brooklyn.
FRANK BENNERLE, Brooklyn.
HENRY RANSWEILER, Brooklyn.

The injured are: David Wills, James J. Dunne, Tina Christiansen, Harry Krohn, Clara Thiel, Mary L. Curley, Isaac Raffe and wife, Amelia Schoos, William Ransweiler, John Apple and Daniel McCauley, all of Brooklyn.

The intense heat of the morning attracted a great multitude to the shore resorts, and late in the afternoon when the storm blew up from the westward the Parkway beach was thronged with bathers and spectators. The rain descended in torrents and hundreds of men, women and children sought shelter under the big bath house, which is elevated above the sand on piles. The lightning was incessant and terrific thunder claps shook the bath house to the terror of the crowd huddled together beneath it.

Fifty Persons Prostrated.

A few minutes before 5 o'clock a bolt struck the flagstaff and grounded in the thickest of the crowd. Nearly 50 persons were prostrated and the rest, screaming with terror, rushed out into the storm. Those who had remained in the water were also panic-stricken and fled in all directions, not daring to enter the bath house, which appeared to be on fire.

Ambulances were summoned from all the nearest hospitals. On their arrival five persons were found dead and nine unconscious under the bath house. The bodies of all were scorched by the electric fluid. The injured were removed to a hospital where it was said some probably would die. Many persons less seriously hurt were taken home by friends. A slight fire in the bath house was quickly extinguished by the rain.

About the same time, Henry Ransweiler was struck and killed while sheltering under a tree at Gravesend beach. His son William, with John Apple and Daniel McCauley, were rendered unconscious.

Lightning struck at various points in the city. A store in Flushing avenue, Brooklyn, was burned and a car in Sixth avenue, Manhattan, was set on fire, but the occupants escaped unhurt. The electric light and the telephone wires in Bellevue hospital were struck several times, extinguishing all the lights and causing much alarm among the patients.

Floods Cause Death.

BRIDGEPORT, CONN., July 30.—Loss of life and immense damage to property followed the bursting of reservoirs north of this city as a result of the unprecedented fall of rain early today. The precipitation in the series of showers which struck across Connecticut last night and this morning reached a total of seven inches.

The dam at Wards Mill at Easton went out at 2 o'clock this morning, sending a great body of water down through the town of Trumbull. In a short time the dam at the paper mill reservoir broke. There was no warning to the people who lived on the banks of what is usually a small water course. The house occupied by John Lesco, his wife and several children was picked up by the flood and carried a mile below. The Lesco family were asleep at the time, and all were rescued after a perilous journey.

A house occupied by Michael Moran was hurled against the Berkshire bridge and smashed to kindling wood. It is believed Moran was drowned. Police and firemen went to the rescue and saved several lives.

In North Bridgeport the water swept against the Barnum avenue bridge and wrecked it just when an ice wagon was crossing it. In the wagon were William Kowzeski and John Starkin. The wagon and horses were swept away and Kowzeski was drowned. Starkin was able to swim ashore.

SCOURGE IS MARCHING ON

Yellow Fever Kills Three More Persons in New Orleans.

NEW CASES ARE 27

Mississippi Authorities Refuse to Even Admit Holders of Health Certificates.

HOW THE DISEASE ORIGINATED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW ORLEANS, July 30.—Twenty-seven new cases of yellow fever were reported up to 6 p. m. today and three deaths. Four new foci developed, bringing the total centers of infection up to 41, and the deaths to date 27. Thus far 202 cases of the disease have been reported.

A new complication was disclosed today when Supt. Curran of the New Orleans & Northeastern railroad announced that two passengers who had remained the required length of time in the small detention camp, and sought admission into Mississippi, had been turned back. If the Mississippi health authorities now refuse admission to holders of certificates of detention issued by the marine hospital service, it will result in the government abandoning those camps and then travelers will have to either stay here or go to points in the north and east and spend ten days before they can return to Mississippi.

The location of the Louisville & Nashville camp has not yet been fixed, but Dr. Guitras hopes to get in communication with Adjt. Gen. Fridge of Mississippi, who is in charge of the state quarantine on the gulf coast, and finally arrange the matter. The Mississippi troops are now doing guard duty on the coast.

How Disease Became Known.

City Health Officer Kenkle, who is in immediate charge of the situation in the city, and who has been subjected to some criticism from various sources, today gave out the following statement which shows how the authorities handled the infection as soon as it was discovered:

"The first intimation of yellow fever in New Orleans was had on July 18, when two physicians reported two cases of illness resembling in their judgment yellow fever, which cases were submitted to the president of the state board of health at his office. The health officer of the city was summoned immediately and the cases reported—one being already dead at the time—were by him considered for sanitary purposes actual yellow fever, and the premises were treated accordingly; that is, the disinfecting methods employed were those against yellow fever infection. The diagnosis of these cases being judged a matter for later consideration, the health officer immediately instituted an investigation of the neighborhood suspected of infection, and this investigation disclosed evidence pointing to prior cases in the same neighborhood.

Began to Fumigate.

"All measures were employed against yellow fever infection wherever suspicion existed. In a few days it was learned that several squares were infected, apparently to a degree justifying the fumigation of every house for the possible existing infected mosquito. The neighborhood operated on is almost wholly inhabited by an Italian population, many of whom are intimately connected with the handling of bananas and the unloading of such cargoes from fruit ships arriving from Central American ports.

"Every means was employed, from soft persuasion to brutal force, to reach infected places, and the wholesale fumigation was in progress during a period of 10 days or more, during which period an autopsy demonstrated the nature of the disease, which must have begun at some time during the second half of May. From the infected neighborhood at varying times residents removed their families to other sections of the city, and in this way cases of the disease developed in persons infected not only in the Italian district, but reaching to other districts at the time of the appearance of the first symptom.

Outlook Is Hopeful.

"Today there are a few cases of persons not connected in any known way with the infected district, and all cases of the disease known to exist are isolated and subjected to the proper measures of prevention based on the modern law of yellow fever transmission. The spread of the disease has not been as great as was at first feared, and now is entertained that it may be controlled. Besides the sanitary work done by the authorities in the neighborhoods containing cases of the disease, citizens are enthusiastically engaged in ridding the city of the yellow fever mosquito by oiling water surfaces and fumigating dwellings, the object of this being to render barren of yellow fever infection the sections at present containing no cases of the disease.

"Quarantine methods against fruit vessels have been made more stringent to prevent the introduction from Central America and the fruit ports generally of additional yellow fever infection. A fund of money of practically unlimited amount has been guaranteed and is being furnished to the health authorities who are assisted by officers of the public health and marine hospital service, representative members of the medical society and representatives of the newspaper interests. So far as is known, no infection has occurred from the cases outside of the infected district, and consequently will, it is thought, be so complete in a short while that the stamping out of any secondary infection is not unlikely.

News Not Withheld.

"The impression that the authorities withhold information as to the extent of infection is contradicted by the prompt delay notified to the investigation upon

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SHERIFF FOILS A MOB

Saves White Fiend Who Assailed Woman from the Wrath of Lynchers.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

RALEIGH, N. C., July 30.—Robert Wingate, white, aged 35, was brought here today from Tarboro, barely in time to prevent a lynching. He is from Ayden, North Carolina, where he has a wife and four children. He went to Tarboro as a sewing machine agent, took a machine to the home of Mrs. Joseph Knight, a comely woman of 25, whose husband is partially paralyzed.

Wingate's behavior on the first visit was correct. On the second visit he made improper proposals and was ordered out, but returned Friday and seized Mrs. Knight. Her screams brought help. Wingate fled but was captured. He does not deny seizing the woman, but denies felonious intent.

A great mob had organized to storm the Tarboro jail and lynch Wingate at 2 o'clock this morning, but at midnight Sheriff Bailey disguised him, placed him in a carriage, drove 18 miles to a railway and rushed him here. There was not time for commitment papers but Gov. Glenn gave the order that Wingate be held here in jail. The mob went to the jail but found its prey gone.

Rains Injure Wheat Crop.

SANTIAGO DE CHILE, July 30.—There have been tremendous rains throughout the whole country and the prospects for the wheat crop are bad.

LIKE THE OLD FAIRYTALE

Pennsylvania Woman Coughs Up Live Frogs, to Her Great Relief.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WILKESBARRE, PA., July 30.—Mrs. Bridget Mangan of Minnoka, near here, has coughed up two frogs and is enjoying relief after a sickness of several weeks. The physicians are puzzled by the remarkable case.

Early in the spring she was first attacked by severe pains in the stomach which would not yield to any treatment. Six days ago this pain was succeeded by a steady and overpowering thirst. Dr. William Haggerty, in the hope of aiding her, gave her an emetic, and to his surprise she vomited up a small frog.

Her relief followed, but yesterday the thirst began again. He gave her another emetic and this time she vomited a frog four inches long, and has not had pain since. Dr. Haggerty says the only way in which he can account for it is that she swallowed the frogs in drinking water when they were young and that they developed in her stomach. He has the one vomited last night in alcohol and will send it to the New York Medical university.

President's Family at Church.

OYSTER BAY, L. I., July 30.—The president, accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt and several of their children, attended the morning service at Christ Episcopal church today. No official visitors were received by the president. The calls made by neighboring relatives and friends were entirely informal.

PITTSBURGHER IS ROBBED

Hugh S. Townsley Loses a Diamond Pin and Large Sum of Money.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CLEVELAND, July 30.—The theft of a diamond pin worth $100 and $750 in money from his room at the Hollenden hotel was reported to the police today by Hugh S. Townsley of 523-525 North Homewood avenue, Pittsburgh.

Townsley says he left the money in a tan alligator pocketbook in the pocket of his vest hanging on a chair. The pin was lying on the dresser. He forgot to lock the door when he went down to dinner about 5:30 and when he returned, about 8:30, money and pin were gone. The thief overlooked the fact that was in another pocket of the vest. The police are working on the case. Mr. Townsley conducts an automobile garage in North Homewood avenue, Pittsburgh.

Labrador Looks for Benefits.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., July 30.—Gov. MacGregor and a party of English colonial scientists started today for a six weeks' cruise along the Labrador coast. It is expected that important results will accrue from this expedition respecting the industrial future of Labrador.

Evangelist Accused of Murder.

GREENSBURG, PA., July 30.—A reward of $200 has been offered for the arrest of John Clark of Monessen, the evangelist-laborer, who is suspected of having murdered his wife near Monessen on the night of July 4.

JAPANESE GET RYKOFF

Russian Defenders Flee in Disorder Before Victorious Troops of Mikado.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

TOKYO, July 30.—The following dispatch has been received from the Japanese army headquarters:

"Our independent cavalry, which entered Rykoff, on Skahalin island, 45 miles northeast of Port Due, July 25, withdrew on finding order in the city unfavorable to its occupation. Our army, intending to crush the enemy's forces before they reinreated from the eminences west of Rykoff, commenced to advance at 2 a. m. of July 28. The van, together with an independent body of cavalry, advanced by forced march, attacking and dislodging the enemy holding the northern extremity of Rykoff, and rushed into the town. Confused street fighting ensued, but the town was completely taken at 8:30 o'clock in the morning.

"The enemy's main strength, which opposed our right column, fled in disorder southward, taking the short route leading to Parsone.

"July 28, a detachment which was sent south in pursuit of the enemy met the enemy's infantry, some 300 strong, at a point six miles south of Rykoff, and killed over 200 and captured 50.

"The enemy's strength opposed to our right column was of some 1,000 infantry and four guns and four machine guns and that opposed to our left column some 2,000 infantry and four guns. The enemy's loss in trophies is under investigation."

NEWSIES IN CAMP HAVING GAY TIME

Maintain a Summer Resort on the R. C. Hall Farm, Near Ross Station.

POPULAR WITH THE FARMERS

Since the hot weather appeared the residents of the Newsboys' home, Forbes street and Sixth avenue, have been having an almost continuous outing. The boys have maintained a summer camp on the farm of Robert C. Hall, the Fourth avenue broker, near Ross station, and have been learning something of nature and getting acquainted with green fields and the woods.

The boys while at the camp do their own cooking, the supplies being received from the home in this city. The camp is back of Ross grove, away from the township road, and is hard to find unless one has a guide. The camp was opened June 17, and since then not a day or night has passed that boys were not in the camp. The boy campers have two tents erected in the grove in which they are living. One is 10x12 feet and the other 16x24 feet. The former is used as a provision storehouse, and the latter for sleeping purposes.

While some boys remain at the camp all the time, the greater number of them go out to the woods late Saturday afternoon in groups on the traction cars and then walk about a mile to the camp along the township road. They return to the home Sunday night. On several Sundays recently, from 25 to 50 boys were in the camp over Saturday and Sunday.

Farmers Like the Boys.

The newsboys have several acres in which to play and have their games, and as they have not bothered the farmers or damaged their crops in the fields about, the boys have become popular and often they are given a buttermilk treat by the farmers.

Squaw run is near the camp, and the boys go there to swim every day. They have their best time in the water on Sundays, when the big crowd is at the camp and play pranks on each other. Everything is taken in a good-natured way by the boys, and they are all happy, as the camp is the first they have had, and to many of them it is their first experience in the woods.

The boys play baseball, "lost track," have tree climbing contests, races through the woods and underbrush, but best of all their fun is the chopping they are allowed to do. The boys have trees on every hand and they wield the ax to their heart's content. On the Fourth of July dealers in fireworks in this city sent out enough to give the boys and country people fun for an hour and a half. They also had sham battles. No one was burned by powder during the whole celebration.

Lively Indian Campaigns.

Since the newsboys have been in camp they have dug several caves and have been playing Indian. Those who try to track the Indians through the caves and woods sometimes have a half-day hunt before they locate their victims and then a battle is fought. The boys have also captured a number of turtles and killed several snakes, but the big time in the woods will not be reached till they bring in a coon. Since the camp was opened the boys have been looking for Mr. Coon. Although they have found traces of him, they have been unable to catch up with a coon. The boys now have a pet coon at the home, and they want to get another, but Mr. Coon has so far evaded them.

The offer of Mr. Hall to give the boys a camping place on his farm has come at an opportune time, as the Newsboys' home is overcrowded at present. There are 68 boys registered at the home, and if all were in from the camp there would not be enough beds to go around. The boys greatly appreciate having a camp to go to in the hot weather and at the same time get away from the hot downtown district, and the shadow of the county jail and the freight yards in front of the home in Forbes street.

Allowed to Pick Berries.

Since the boys at the camp have shown the farmers they are not of a vicious and destructive nature, they are allowed to pick berries and other fruit for themselves about the country. Mr. Hall also has seven Shetland ponies on his farm, and the boys have a good time playing with the little horses. The grain fields are also open to them, and the boys form parties and go on voyages of discovery through the fields and woods. The country about the farm is wild and some of it is covered with dense growth.

Besides the camp the boys have a garden of their own at Carrick. Many of them go out during the day after their papers are sold, and tend to their produce gardens. Some of the boys have patches of their own and they make frequent trips to Carrick to look after the garden. All kinds of vegetables are growing there and so far this summer the work of the newsies has kept the home almost constantly supplied with garden produce. About 15 boys have been attending to their own gardens and they often bring vegetables in and have them cooked at the home for themselves.

Shake-Up at Nashville.

NASHVILLE, ILL., July 30.—(Special.)—The Nashville baseball club has been given another shaking up and William F. Reither appointed manager. Paul Piermann being retained as secretary. Charles E. Fair, late of the Texas league, has been signed to do the pitching, and in all likelihood Dude Wilson, formerly of the K. I. T. league, will be signed to cover second. The financial backing of the club has been increased during the week, insuring independent ball the rest of the season.

Mrs. Westinghouse Elected.

LENOX, MASS., July 30.—(Special.)—Mrs. George Westinghouse has been admitted to membership in the Berkshire Automobile club.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Sailed, July 29.

Boulogne, July 29.—Noordam, from Rotterdam for New York.

London—Minnehaha, for New York.

Queenstown—Lucania, from Liverpool for New York.

Dover—Graf Waldersee, from Hamburg for New York, via Boulogne.

Passed, July 30.

Lizard—Kroonland, from New York for Dover and Antwerp; Minnetonka, from New York for London.

Arrived, July 30.

New York—Umbria, from Liverpool and Queenstown; Parisian, from Glasgow and Moville.

Liverpool—Etruria, from New York, July 30—Lake Champlain, from Montreal; Mongolian, from Montreal and Quebec.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

BIJOU—Opening of the season of 1905-6 tonight. "How Hearts Are Broken," 8 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—Williams' Ideal Burlesquers, 2 and 8 p. m.

EXPOSITION BALL PARK—National League championship series, Pittsburgh vs. Brooklyn, 3:30 p. m.

LUNA PARK—Crais street, near Grant boulevard; open from 10 a. m. to midnight. This week—Innes' Band in two concerts daily; Herr Granada and Mlle Fedora, with Rajah, the waltzing elephant.

KENNYWOOD PARK—Homestead Library band, concerts afternoon and evening. Ricco Bonis' trained horses in free exhibition.

SOUTHERN PARK—Vaudeville bill.

OAKWOOD PARK—Vaudeville bill and Cotton's comedy donkeys.

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$8.00 Toronto and Return $8.00
Pittsburgh & Lake Erie R. R.
Excursion next Tuesday. Tickets good 15 days. Valid on the 6-hour "Buffalo Limited."

PITTSBURGH NEWSBOYS CAMPING OUT NEAR ROSS STATION

1—Cooking dinner at the campfire.
2—After meal at the camp.
3—Newsies resting in a rye field.
4—Playing bull-in-the-ring.
5—Uninteresting surroundings at Newsboys' home.

RAID SPEAKEASY TWICE IN A DAY

Proprietor and Clients Return as Soon as Released the First Time.

POLICE PAY OTHER VISITS

An alleged speakeasy at 2020 Penn avenue was raided by Lieut. Christ Ford and a squad of officers yesterday afternoon. The proprietor, L. Regas, a Greek, and a dozen visitors fell into the net.

Shortly after 9 o'clock last night Capt. Peter Welsh was passing Rega's house, when he noticed a crowd of men entering the place. Surmising that Regas had opened up again, Capt. Welsh went to No. 3 police station and came back with the patrol wagon and a squad of men. When they entered the house they found Regas and the same 12 men who had been arrested in the afternoon raid and released on forfeits. They were taken to the station and all of them put up forfeits again, Regas leaving $165 and each visitor $40.

After Capt. Welsh had sent the men to the station he cleaned up the house. He got 16 cases of beer and 143 bottles of beer in an ice chest, a large quantity of whisky and 15 empty beer cases.

Inspector Thomas B. Werner and Capt. H. J. Alt headed a squad of officers and raided a Slavish gambling house at 2611 Sarah street, South Side, yesterday afternoon. Several games were in progress and a half dozen of the participants were arrested. At the station house they gave unpronounceable names and were locked up.

Capt. Alt and Special Officer Paul Vonson surprised a crap game on South Thirteenth street. A score of young men and boys were "tossing the bones." There was a general scramble when the officers were sighted and all escaped but one boy, who was taken to No. 7 station house.

Among the 42 prisoners before Magistrate Negley at the East End station house yesterday morning was Andrew Berry, who was charged with keeping a disorderly house in Negley Run. He was fined $25 or 60 days in the workhouse. Six visitors arrested with him paid fines and costs of $4.40.

COLONEL M'GIFFIN DEAD

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ary, 1903, on the day following the fiftieth anniversary of her marriage. Since then Col. McGiffin has lived with a daughter at this place. Norton McGiffin, Jr., of Washington, grandson of the deceased, was appointed a cadet to the United States naval academy at Annapolis by the late Senator Quay, this act being one of the last performed by the deceased senator. The McGiffin family are all Presbyterians, Col. McGiffin having been connected with the First Presbyterian church of Washington. He was connected with numerous societies and an active member of the local G. A. R.

SAVED BY THUNDER CLAP.

It Wakes Daughter Up in Time to Save Her Father's Life from Burglars at His Bedside.

CLEVELAND, O., July 30.—A crash of thunder woke up Leola Morton, daughter of Melville Morton, early this morning here, in time to save her father from death on account of chloroform administered by burglars.

The burglars had broken in and chloroformed Morton and had succeeded in ransacking the house, securing a small amount of booty, when a terrible thunderstorm broke, waking the daughter. She was hurrying to her father's room when she perceived the odor of the drug and called for help. Morton was revived after neighbors had worked for an hour over him.

McClelland Ready for Fight.

WASHINGTON, PA., July 30.—(Special.)—Jack McClelland of Pittsburgh today finished training at West Alexander, this county, in preparation for his fight tomorrow night at Bridgeport, O. with Jimmy Dunn. McClelland is confident. He said today: "Dunn is a promising boxer, but I have not the least doubt that he will be easy money."

Retaliatory Quarantine.

NATCHEZ, Miss., July 30.—Vidalia, La., across the Mississippi river from Natchez, has adopted a quarantine against Natchez as a retaliatory measure for the local enforcement of the quarantine established by the state board of health against Louisiana.

Killed by Barbed Wire.

FINDLAY, O., July 30.—(Special.)—A valuable horse belonging to Dr. Rummell was found dead in a pasture field. The animal became frightened at the lightning and ran into a barbed wire fence, cutting open a large vein. Dr. Rummell had been offered $1,000 for the horse.

YELLOW FEVER SCOURGE MARCHING ON

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the result of which the official report is based."

Denies Vardaman's Charges.

President Souchon of the state board today gave out the following statement:

"I most emphatically deny the assertion made by Gov. Vardaman of Mississippi that I knew there were a great many cases of yellow fever in New Orleans before the announcement of the fact was made. The assertion is false and quite in keeping with the well-known temperament of Gov. Vardaman."

Dr. White of the United States public health and marine hospital service said freight cars are being fumigated whenever there is a possibility of their containing infected mosquitoes and wherever there is a demand for fumigation on the part of the authorities of the state to which or through which the cars are to run.

Every passenger train run out of New Orleans is either supplied by a shuttle train at a point beyond possible infection or is fumigated prior to departure and run closed through the states demanding such regulations.

Today every preacher in the city referred to the work now in hand, and in all the Protestant churches the Episcopal prayer in times of public emergency was recited.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—A dispatch received today by Surgeon General Wyman of the public health and marine hospital service from Dr. J. H. White, in charge of the service at New Orleans, reports that on Thursday and Friday 1,918 houses were inspected, 19 cases of sickness were investigated and 2,000 or more tanks and cisterns oiled.

The officials of the marine hospital service report also that but two other places outside of the state of Louisiana have officially reported a case of yellow fever, a notable contrast to former outbreaks, when it spread with greater rapidity.

NATURE OF THEIR MALADY IS NOT YET APPARENT

Three Yellow Fever Suspects in New York Are Released—One of Those Remaining Is Very Ill.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 30.—Health Officer Doty visited the quarantine islands in the lower bay today and shortly afterward three passengers of the steamer Seguranca, namely, Miss Heckler, Henry Boyd and Miss Wempe, were released together with the two members of the crew of the steamer El Dorado, which arrived yesterday from New Orleans, and were held for observation owing to high temperatures.

The four passengers of the Seguranca, detained at Hoffman island, are quite comfortable and if all goes well will be released probably tomorrow. Thomas McGill, one of the Seguranca's stewards, and Vincent Novo, a fireman, are quite ill. Dr. Doty said he could not definitely state whether these men are suffering from yellow fever. The bacteriological examination would not be completed before tomorrow morning.

TENNESSEE AS STATE DOES NOT QUARANTINE

MEMPHIS, TENN., July 30.—The report given out yesterday, following the meeting of the state, city and county boards of health regarding the quarantine regulations established against New Orleans and other fever infected regions, proves to be partly erroneous. The official statement is to the effect that West Tennessee and Hamilton county will close their doors against the fever regions. No quarantine regulations for the whole state have been promulgated.

TIGHTEN QUARANTINE LINE.

Visitors to Meridian Must Have Health Certificate—Curfew Ordinance Is Passed by Council.

MERIDIAN, MISS., July 30.—The city boards met this morning and, on recommendations of the local board of health, tightened the quarantine line materially against infected points, and adopted more stringent precautions locally. No travelers will be permitted to enter the city without a health certificate, and no freight car from any infected point will be permitted to be opened unless thoroughly screened and previously fumigated.

A curfew ordinance has been passed, requiring all places of business except drug stores, hotels and restaurants, to be closed at 8 o'clock, and all persons on the streets after 8 p. m., who cannot give a satisfactory reason for being out, will be subject to arrest.

QUARANTINE BREAKS UP A BASEBALL LEAGUE

VICKSBURG, MISS., July 30.—Because of quarantine restrictions, the Cotton States League of Baseball clubs practically suspended work at the close of today's game with Meridian. The local association disbanded its team. The closing at Baton Rouge and Greenville by quarantine made it impossible to play the schedule out.

LOCK ARMS IN A DANCE.

Paul Morton and James H. Hyde Surprise Fashionable Gathering at a Ball Given in Newport.

NEWPORT, R. I., July 30.—(Special.)—The visit here of Paul Morton, president of the Equitable Life Assurance Company; James Hazen Hyde, a former vice president, and Gen. Horace Porter appears to have been the great feature of the season thus far. Their movements have been very closely watched with much interest, and when at the dance at Crossways Saturday evening the trio locked arms and marched triumphantly through the center of the crowded ballroom there was prolonged applause.

Gen. Porter was the center figure. On his right was Mr. Morton and on his left was Mr. Hyde. The cotillion was led by Mr. Elisha Dyer, Jr.

PHILADELPHIANS SEE SNAKES.

Twelve Foot Python Has Taken Possession of Market Street, and Has It to Himself.

PHILADELPHIA, July 30.—A python 12 feet long escaped Saturday night from a bird and animal store in Market street, and is roaming about the neighborhood in the evenings, to the terror of the thousands who have to use that great thoroughfare.

Last evening just when travel was greatest on the street, the serpent made its appearance. The block on which it was seen was quickly abandoned, and those who had business in that direction went around by other streets for the remainder of the night. The proprietors of stores in the neighborhood do not dare to enter their cellars.

FIREMAN DIES IN WRECK.

Storm Causes Fatal Accident on Wheeling & Lake Erie Road Near Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, O., July 30.—Fireman Charles Heichemer of Cleveland was instantly killed and Engineer A. Wightman severely hurt, when the Wheeling & Lake Erie railroad engine on which they were early this morning was wrecked.

The storm of Saturday night had forced a layer of sand several inches deep over the rails, which threw the engine over on its side. Wightman was hurled 40 feet through the cab window, while Heichemer was buried under the engine.

Fell Into Firebox of His Engine.

While shoveling coal into the firebox of his engine yesterday, Albert Conley, a fireman on a yard engine in the yards of the National rolling mill, McKeesport, slipped and pitched headlong into the furnace. His head and face were inside the firebox and the flames burned him so severely that he may not recover. He was sent to the McKeesport hospital. He is about 25 years of age and married.

Dr. McCormick Talks to Men's Club.

BELLEVUE, PA., July 30.—A large crowd heard Dr. Samuel B. McCormick, chancellor of Western university, who spoke last evening before the Men's club of the Bellevue Methodist Episcopal church, in Bellevue. Dr. McCormick took as his subject, "A Lost Estate." His talk was very interesting.

NO ALLIANCES WERE PLANNED

Neither Did William Counsel Czar to Continue War in Far East.

KAISER SCEPTICAL OF PEACE

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]

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LONDON, July 31.—In a dispatch received yesterday by the Daily Telegraph from a correspondent at Reval he says: "I am enabled to make the following statement respecting the interview between the czar and the kaiser on authority which will not be called in question.

"On July 19, about 7 o'clock in the evening, the Russian emperor received a message direct from the kaiser setting forth that, being in Russian waters and not far from Russian territory, he greatly desired to meet his dear relative. The message was couched in persuasive language, to which there could be only one reply, and the czar accordingly consented to the meeting and invited the German kaiser to Bjoerko.

"The invitation was promptly accepted and the two monarchs soon afterward came together, conversed and parted without having settled or even discussed any momentous political problem. The conjectures of the press that alliances were planned or conditionally arranged, are not only devoid of foundation, but contrary to the fact.

"It is especially false to say that the kaiser counseled the czar to continue the war. He tendered no advice on the subject, and if he had given any counsel it would have been doubtless in favor of peace, because his frequent and earnest communications to Mr. Roosevelt have convinced the American president that Kaiser Wilhelm is a most ardent advocate of peace and has for that reason abandoned the initiative to Mr. Roosevelt, whose mediation he considers more likely to be successful than his own.

"At the same time the kaiser is extremely sceptical as to the probability of peace being concluded as the result of the negotiations about to begin. Like most other European statesmen, he has convinced himself that the war will be persisted in for some time longer and is perhaps, therefore, assiduous in stimulating Mr. Roosevelt, whose admiration for Kaiser Wilhelm's humanity and unselfishness have been greatly intensified in consequence.

"Here and in most other parts of Russia, politicians agree with the kaiser that the negotiations will end in smoke."

PLAN TO AID BOATE FAILS

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their right of choice of their representative man, without being subjected to the pressure which those in authority may think they have the means or power to apply."

There was a heavy draft on the South Side yesterday for policemen to act as trade unionists. Twenty-seven men were sent from No. 7 police station. The men were in citizens' dress and were under command of Capt. Ault and Lieut. McAfee. Had a big fire broken out in the city during the afternoon, many fire fighters would have been missing. From one company of nine men, five of them were ordered to Old City hall to vote for Boate.

Commissioner James A. Clarke came home from the west yesterday to look after the nomination of his running mate on the fusion ticket. He says he will be satisfied with any man agreeable to the Democratic and Citizens committees. As he controls the Democratic committee, it is difficult to see how he can be bunco'ed. He wants a representative of labor named on the ticket, but does not say he should be nominated for commissioner.

TWO DROWN AFTER BEING ONCE RESCUED

MANASQUIN, N. J., July 30.—While Frank Brown of Jamaica, L. I., was swimming in Manasquin inlet today with his daughter and Miss Todd of Plainfield, N. J., the two girls became exhausted and he was only able to keep them afloat until two men put out from the shore in a boat and took them on board. While Mr. Brown was trying to get into the boat it was upset and all were thrown into the water. The boatmen rescued Miss Todd, but Mr. Brown and his daughter were swept away by the current and drowned.

Kaiser Visits King Christian.

DANTZIG, PRUSSIA, July 30.—Emperor William sailed today aboard the imperial yacht Hohenzollern for Copenhagen to visit King Christian.

Miner Crushed to Death.

CALDWELL, O., July 30.—(Special.)—O. Lagrange, a miner, was almost instantly killed today by a fall of several tons of slate. He was 40 years old and married.

SEEKS REVENGE UPON H. C. FRICK

Bigelow to Railroad New Grade Bills Through Councils If He Can Get Votes.

OBSTACLE TO IMPROVEMENTS

If enough votes can be mustered today Director Bigelow proposes to railroad through common council ordinances changing the grades of the streets in the hump district to conform to an 18-foot cut, at the same time repealing the ordinance for the hump election on August 22.

In this movement Director Bigelow not only revenges himself upon H. C. Frick and other property-owners who object to an 18-foot cut, but he also throws an obstacle in the way of improvements on the hump, possibly for years to come. No buildings on the hump can be erected unless to conform to a cut of 18 feet without the owner of the property taking a serious risk upon himself and giving up all claims of damages that may result from an 18-foot cut, should one be made at any time.

Mr. Frick cannot build his proposed big hotel on the cathedral site unless the first floor is made to meet a cut of over 14 feet at Grant street and Fifth avenue. This is the cut proposed at that point in Director Bigelow's plan for an 18-foot cut at Fifth and Wylie avenues.

Director Bigelow will probably meet with opposition in common council to his plan to regrade the streets in advance of the hump cut, but his lieutenants were working industriously yesterday to get the necessary votes to pass these bills. To the hump repealer there are no signs of opposition. The director has announced his intention of starting on a vacation of a month on Wednesday, and he is anxious to dispose of the whole hump matter before he goes away instead of allowing the thing to drag through the balance of the summer with more extra sessions of councils and committees.

Bigelow's departure on his vacation Wednesday, of course, is contingent upon how councils act. If his program for today's meeting of common council is carried out without a hitch select council will be called to meet on Wednesday.

The old hump ordinances for the regrading of the streets on the hump, based upon an 18-foot cut, which were postponed in common council last year pending the result of the hump election, can be taken up today and passed or new bills can be introduced. The surveys committee can sit during the session of council as the finance committee is called to do, and approve new grading ordinances.

They can be returned to councils forthwith and if the necessary three-fourths vote is secured they can be passed finally today. Quite a number of councilmen are out of the city who might oppose the passage of the grading ordinances, and the administration is said to be counting on this fact to aid in working out their plan.

TAFT'S PARTY ATTENDS CHURCH AND TEMPLES

Japanese Cheer Visitors and Band Plays "Auld Lang Syne" as They Leave Kioto.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

KIOTO, July 30.—Secretary of War Taft and his party spent Sunday morning quietly. Some of the members of the party attended church, while others visited the temples. When the party left at 3 o'clock this afternoon on a special train for Kobe there was another remarkable demonstration. At the station a great crowd awaited Secretary Taft and Miss Roosevelt and began cheering when their carriage arrived, the ovation continuing until the train started. The band played the national anthem and "Auld Lang Syne" as the train pulled away from the station.

KOBE, July 30.—Secretary Taft and his party arrived here at 5 o'clock this afternoon from Kioto. They were the recipients of an enthusiastic welcome from the governor and the mayor and city officials and assembled thousands. Amid a display of day fireworks the party proceeded to the water front, where a short reception was held. Secretary Taft and Miss Roosevelt were given a number of presents.

The steamer Manchuria will sail at 10 o'clock tonight for Nagasaki. Capt. Robert H. Noble, Third United States infantry, military aide to Governor General Wright of the Philippine Islands, officially met the secretary of war and his party here.

MAY SELL MUNICIPAL GAS.

Borough of Manor Hold Club Over Natural Gas Company Which Wants to Tear Up Streets.

IRWIN, PA., July 30.—(Special.)—The borough council of Manor has a peculiar mixup with the Peoples Natural Gas Company, which recently purchased the Greensboro Gas Company in that town. Having two lines of pipes on the streets, the former concern wishes to take up the line out of commission.

The council objected on account of the damage to the thoroughfares and threatened to lay a main to the line of an opposition company and furnish consumers with the fuel if the Peoples company persisted in taking up the pipes. As an alternative the council wants $500 to pay for damages to the streets if the line is removed.

Took Carbolic Acid by Mistake.

Mrs. Catherine Elliott, aged 28, of 3242 Webster avenue, died at the Passavant hospital shortly after midnight from a dose of carbolic acid taken in mistake for castor oil. After she had discovered her mistake she ran to a drug store, but fell unconscious as she entered the door. She was taken to the hospital, where she died a few minutes later.

Hurrying to Repair Damages.

CUMBERLAND, MD., July 30.—(Special.)—The Maryland Railroad Company, whose mill in South Cumberland was partly destroyed by the bursting of a fly-wheel yesterday, completed the purchase of the lease and machinery of the Schonthal Iron Company. Work will be pushed at the plant and in a short time 200 men will be given employment there.

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ALL GROCERS AND DRUGGISTS

WILL NOT MAKE SHAMEFUL PEACE

Czar Nicholas So Replies to an Appeal from the Russian Clergy.

BRITAIN TO SUPPORT JAPAN

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ST PETERSBURG, July 30.—The emperor has issued the following note in reply to an appeal from the clergy of Orenburg not to conclude a shameful peace.

"The Russian people can rely on me. Neither will I conclude a shameful peace or one unworthy of great Russia."

LONDON, July 31.—The Daily Telegraph's correspondent on board the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, on which M. Witte, the Russian peace plenipotentiary, is a passenger, sends an interview which he has had with M. Witte, in which the latter said that if Russia and Japan had agreed upon a common basis before appointing peace plenipotentiaries it would have been much better. As it was, M. Witte said, he regarded himself rather as an imperial courier sent to ascertain the terms of Japan. He was prepared to make peace, nevertheless, he added, as his powers were very complete, and he would discuss the demands based on Japan's actual military and naval successes, in a businesslike spirit of give and take.

"But I cannot and will not," continued M. Witte, "entertain demands based upon expected military successes in the future. I am conversant with the humane intentions of my imperial master, and I will do anything compatible with Russia's honor and dignity to establish that work of which I have been an unswerving advocate. My first task, however, in the new world will be to search for a basis for fruitful discussion."

Has Britain's Support.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—Japan comes to the Washington conference assured that, whatever her peace terms, they will have the sympathetic approval of Great Britain. Several suggestions from Washington to London that the cause of peace would be served by an expression to Japan from her ally, favoring moderation in her demands upon Russia, have not availed to change the British government in its apparently unalterable determination to stand by Japan however severe she makes her conditions of peace.

Nor has the British government seen its way clear to render assistance to Washington in the efforts which this government is making to obtain an armistice. Advices reaching here show that London is opposed to an armistice until Japan has been satisfied that Russia's plenipotentiaries are prepared to do more than discuss means of ending the war; if Russia is ready to conclude peace, and has so empowered her plenipotentiaries, Great Britain, it is believed, might favor an armistice, but even in such event it is said she would not be willing to offer Japan advice on the subject.

Will Keep Hands Off.

As understood in Washington, Lord Lansdowne's position is that, as the ally of Japan, Great Britain can afford to take no step nor assume any attitude that would in the remotest degree redound to the advantage of Japan's enemy. However much London may wish peace for humanitarian reasons, her loyalty to Japan, whose pledged ally she is, prevents her even from indirectly bringing pressure to bear by suggestions, advice or otherwise, at Tokyo regarding negotiations, the effect of which might serve to moderate Japan's peace conditions or hasten a truce. When Japan asks her ally for advice the London government, it is said, is prepared immediately to give it, but this advice would be based on Japan's interest as a primary consideration.

Nor is this attitude on the part of the London government misinterpreted in Washington as indicating that its officials do not share in the wish of the neutral powers for peace. It has been made plain that the activity of the president has the full sympathy of the British people, although their first thought, it is declared, must be in the interest of their ally.

At the same time, the London government in its exchanges with the American embassy in London has not hesitated to declare its confidence that Japan's terms will not be unreasonable, viewed in the light of the results of the war. As it was recently expressed by one cognizant of the British attitude: "London has never, either in the negotiations preceding the war or since the war began, found Tokyo assuming an unreasonable position. Japan has been exceedingly reasonable throughout this struggle, and we are not at all apprehensive that she will bring to Washington demands that are immoderate or unreasonable."

Sakhalin a Stumbling Block.

Believing, as official Washington does, that Japan will not insist on the dismantlement of Vladivostok, should Russia fail to agree to it, in return for the neutralization of Port Arthur, the cession of Sakhalin, which it is understood will be among the essential conditions, will, the officials here believe, prove the most serious obstacle to peace in the far east. Sakhalin had not been captured when the president initiated his efforts to bring the belligerents together. The fact that up to that time Japan had not taken a foot of Russian territory simplified, in the opinion of Washington and Berlin, the problem of bringing about peace negotiations.

It is understood tonight, from a source which, although not official, is well informed, that Russia will vigorously oppose the cession of Sakhalin. Whether in the event of Japan's insistence on this as a condition precedent to peace, Russia will yield, is a matter of speculation so far as the officials here are concerned, but in quarters friendly to Russia serious doubts are expressed whether M. Witte brings with him the authorization to yield Russian territory, or whether he will be willing to ask for such authority.

Anglo-Japanese Alliance.

Keen interest is felt here in the negotiations, which, it is understood, are making substantial headway, between Japan and England looking to the renewal of the Anglo-Japanese alliance. The scope of the alliance it is known will considerably exceed the present union, though to what extent neither Europe nor Washington has been able to learn. The announcement of the main points of the new alliance, soon after the conclusion of the Washington conference, would not surprise diplomatic circles here.

NEW YORK, July 30.—Baron Komura, the Japanese peace plenipotentiary, and Baron Kaneko, the Japanese financial agent, both of whom are Harvard graduates, went to Peekskill today, where they visited some friends of their college days.

Work at the headquarters of the peace commission was not entirely suspended, however, as several of the secretaries continued their labors with the dispatches and mail. Some of the suite spent the day at the various resorts near the city, while others visited friends.

Korea May Enter Protest.

Dispatches announcing that Korea, like China, would protest against a treaty of peace in which she was not consulted, were called to the attention of Almar Sato of the commission. All he would say was that the time for any of these protests to be made was after the negotiations had been concluded. "No one," said he, "has any business before the commissioners but themselves."

A number of Japanese newspaper correspondents are in the city. Several came with Baron Komura's party. Among those in the city today it is the decided opinion that when peace is declared Japan, having become a world power, will elevate her ministries in the capitals of the powers to embassies. All agreed that it was the understanding in Japan that if peace is declared at the coming negotiations Baron Komura would become a count, which carries with it in Japan a gift of a large sum of money, and that Minister Takahiri would be elevated to the rank of an ambassador.

Stoessel Is Disgraced.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 30.—Gen. Stoessel has been relieved of command of the Third Siberian army corps.

Applications for Loans.

The Safe Deposit and Trust Company of Pittsburgh will answer promptly all applications for loans on improved real estate in Allegheny county. No commission to pay, reasonable charge for title examination, bonded, mortgages, sent free.

ALLEGHENY POLICEMAN ROUTS 13 BIG RUSSIANS

With Bare Knuckles, Officer Webb Charges Into Mob and Subdues It—One Goes to Hospital and Others to Lockup.

Policeman George Webb of Allegheny butted into the fag end of a Russian wedding celebration yesterday afternoon and, just because he got excited, threw his mace away and went into the scrimmage with bare knuckles. When things had quieted down again 12 Muscovites were in the police station, one was in St. John's General hospital with a broken head, and Webb resumed walking his beat.

The festivities started in Liberty hall on Saturday, when a couple with elongated names were united in wedlock. The affair yesterday in the house of Steve Rouish, at 167 Mingo alley, was the extra innings played after the regular period of jollification had been exhausted the night before. When the weird songs of the Russian steppes became so loud that they annoyed the neighbors in the next block, Policeman Bowman called and placed Rouish under arrest, ordering the guests to disperse. Then he sent in a call for the wagon.

Policeman Webb happened along just as the wagon arrived, and when Rouish was placed in it there was a perfect mob scene. Beer bottles, stones, bricks and other missiles, crashed into the wagon, and the horses threatened to stampede. Bowman threw his prisoner to the floor of the vehicle and sat on him. Then he gave the order to drive on, but Webb countermanded this, and, dropping his mace, went into the crowd.

Webb was discovered some months ago by Acting Supt. John Glenn, who put him on what is known as the toughest beat in the city. The sudden charge of Webb startled the Russians, and with characteristic diplomacy they retreated. Webb got in and locked the door. Five minutes later the door opened again and the Russians fought with each other to get into the wagon first. Anything to escape the man that had acted in the house like an angered bull in a one-acre lot.

After the 13 Russians, bruised and frightened, were locked up, the wagon returned and Mike Bokovich was placed in it and carried to St. John's General hospital. He has three severe scalp wounds and his countenance has undergone such a change that his best friends would not recognize him. The hospital physicians say he will be able to go out in a few days. Some of the buttons were robbed off Webb's coat, but otherwise he looked just as neat as when he started.

PITTSBURGH CONDUCTOR FOILS CLEVER CROOKS

Game Which Had Been Successfully Worked in Other Cities Fails at Buffalo.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 30.—A trio of professional swindlers, who resort to the fake accident ruse and who have practiced it successfully throughout the country, was arrested here today, through a tip furnished by Conductor Edward Gibler of the Pittsburgh lines. He also prevented the two men and one woman from mulcting the Pittsburgh company out of a large sum of money. Edward Riley, motorman; Frank Robson, a former conductor, and his supposed wife, Marha Robson, are under arrest, charged with conspiracy.

Robson, it is alleged, knew Gibler having seen him at an eastern race track. He tried to frame up with Gibler to have him start his car too soon and throw Mrs. Robson. Damages were then to be claimed. Gibler reported the fake to his chief, communicated with other cities and the arrest followed. The alleged swindlers have a claim in Baltimore for $5,000 pending, and made $2,800 from the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company and $900 in Jersey City, it is alleged. They were foiled in Pittsburgh.

Riley, Robson and the latter's wife are known in Pittsburgh, but did not operate in this city. An official of the Pittsburgh Railways Company said that about two weeks ago they were here, but the company had been forewarned of their coming and the trio made no attempt to prosecute the game at which they had been successful in other places. The official above referred to said the report of the operations of the three in Brooklyn and Baltimore was correct, and that they have already obtained judgment against the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company for a substantial sum. Gibler, the alleged Pittsburgh conductor who is said to have foiled their Buffalo operation, is not known to the Pittsburgh official.

"GOODBY," SAYS MAURER, AND LEAPS INTO RIVER

Friends Say He Was Only Joking, but It Cost Saloon Porter His Life.

Fritz Maurer, aged 46, a porter employed at the Hotel Auker, 709-711 East street, Allegheny, was drowned yesterday in the Ohio river at Ambridge. With John Auker, proprietor of the hotel, and several other men, Maurer went to Ambridge for a day's outing. Auker said they were all down at the river below the American Bridge Company's work and Maurer was standing on a sandboat with his shoes, trousers and shirt on. Turning to the men he jokingly said:

"Good-bye, boys," and plunged into about 12 feet of water. The current was swift and he was carried under some shanty boats and drowned. His friends did all they could to rescue him. Several hours later his body was recovered. His employer said Maurer had been employed by him for some time, but he knew nothing of his relatives.

A man supposed to be Thomas Logan, of 282 Seventh avenue, New York, was killed by a train on the Fort Wayne railroad at Glen Osborne station at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He attempted to board a freight train and fell under the wheels. A testament in his coat pocket had the name and address given. There was also a letter addressed to him at the Pittsburgh postoffice. It was written by Maggie Mercer of Wellsville, O., dated July 26. There were several cards in his pocket also, which, beside his name, had a few lines designating him as "a ragtime millionaire and not married, but out for a good time, etc." He was about 28 years old. The New York police were asked to make inquiry about him.

An unknown man who died at the Mercy hospital early yesterday morning was identified at the morgue yesterday afternoon as Joseph Pilarth, of 12 Walton avenue, North Braddock. He was run over by a street car there at midnight and had both legs crushed. He was 47 years old.

CINCINNATI PASTOR GETS GERMAN PULPIT

The Rev. Carl August Voss Is Called to Smithfield Street Evangelical Church.

The Rev. Carl August Voss of Cincinnati yesterday was elected to the pastorate of the Smithfield Street German Evangelical Protestant church to succeed the Rev. Gustave Probst, who resigned several weeks ago. Mr. Voss was notified by wire at his home in Cincinnati last night and will come to Pittsburgh within a few days to accept the call.

Four candidates came before the congregational meeting called for the purpose of making a choice. Mr. Voss received 79 votes and the Rev. Erich Becker of Belleville, Ill., stood next with 27. There were a number of scattering votes for the Rev. H. C. Behrens of Honesdale, Pa., and the Rev. Hans Haupt of North Tonawanda, N. Y. The new pastor is a son of the Rev. Edward Voss, one of the leading German divines in the country. He resides in Cincinnati, where the son, until his Pittsburgh call, was pastor of the Emanuel German Evangelical church.

The Rev. August Voss.

TO FIGHT FRUIT TRUST.

Pittsburgh Produce Man in Big Combination to Battle With the United Company.

BALTIMORE, MD., July 30.—(Special.)—A new fruit importing company has been formed here to fight the United Fruit Company, the fruit trust. The movement is to have the backing of several western capitalists and will have plenty of funds. S. S. Smith of Port Antonio, Jamaica, who was formerly general manager for the United Fruit Company, has been in Baltimore this week negotiating terms with banana dealers for patronage of the new company.

In this new enterprise Mr. Smith has as active associates J. V. Piazza of Chicago and A. T. Battaglio of Pittsburgh. These men are capitalists and have brought a number of other wealthy business men into the enterprise, but for the present their names will be withheld from publicity.

TOO LOVING IN PUBLIC.

Bride and Her Mate in Army Blue, Gathered in by a Cold-Hearted Policeman.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., July 30.—(Special.)—The sight of a man in soldier's uniform hugging and kissing a young woman at frequent intervals as they strolled down a public street in this city, impressed a policeman as entirely out of character and he summoned the couple to police headquarters, where the officer told Chief Brinkerhoff the man had been disgracing a soldier's uniform.

Upon questioning the man in blue he was surprised to learn that the couple were bride and groom who were married the evening previous. The man said the uniform he wore belonged to his brother. The groom, whose name is William Babcock, is about 25 years old and his bride, Miss Mary Matilda Conklin, more than 10 years his senior. They were allowed to depart.

HEART DISEASE THE CAUSE.

Coroner's Inquest Held on the Death of Well-Known Newspaper Man.

NEW CASTLE, PA., July 30.—(Special.)—Coroner J. R. Cox held an inquest this afternoon into the death of George W. Shaw, a lifelong newspaper man whose sudden death yesterday afternoon in his apartments at the residence of Charles H. Lee, was not discovered until late last night.

An autopsy was performed early this morning, the cause of death being found to be heart disease. He was partially undressed when found last night and probably expired suddenly while disrobing.

FIREMEN ARE OVERCOME BY FUMES OF AMMONIA

The blowing out of a valve on an ammonia tank at the beer bottling establishment of Paul Wuesthoff, Fourteenth and Pike streets, last night, drove the people in the vicinity out of their beds and nearly stifled a number of firemen. The ammonia was blown into the street and its fumes affected people living a block away. A still alarm was sent into No. 15 engine company. The firemen had to work by relays in attempting to shut off the flow of ammonia. Several of them were overcome and had to be taken out of the building. Deputy Capt. Klaus also succeeded. Nearly all the firemen were more or less affected.

NO COAL STRIKE IS IN PROSPECT

President John Mitchell Denies That His Organization Is Expecting Any Trouble.

BOTH SIDES STRENGTHENING

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

SCRANTON, PA., July 30.—Declaring he was at a loss to account for the sensational stories of a threatened coal strike, John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, said today:

"I believe some apprehension was caused by a report originating in Pittsburgh that I had sent T. L. Lewis, vice president of the United Mine Workers, to arrange with the officers for a general strike which was supposed to offset a lockout on the part of the anthracite operators. The strike was alleged to involve the bituminous and anthracite miners, and to be effective in a month or two.

"There was no truth whatever in that statement. Mr. Lewis was in Pittsburgh on other business. All the bituminous miners in Arkansas, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, Western and Central Pennsylvania, and some other points, have agreements with the operators' association until April 1, when the award of the anthracite coal commission expires. It is only natural that when so many men are released from contract obligations the public would feel some anxiety. And regardless of the fact that both operators and miners may be, and I believe are, desirous of renewing these contracts as they are now, or modifying them as the conditions of the coal trade may warrant, there is, of course, an element of danger that they may not agree. There is the same risk in our affairs that there might be in any other. I am sure that whatever differences may exist between the anthracite operators and the mine workers can be readily adjusted if the two interests will make any efforts to come together in a spirit of fairness."

"I feel," he continued with deliberation, "that the last strike of 1902 was a lesson not soon to be forgotten by miners or operators. It is, of course, natural that the miners and operators of the anthracite district would make such preparations as are necessary to defend themselves against any emergency that might arise next spring. Both miners and operators are doing this, the former by organizing their men, the latter by stocking coal. But these preparations do not necessarily mean there is any danger of a conflict. They are the precautions of prudent men. In our case, the indications are that every miner in the anthracite field will be in the organization by April 1. They are joining now in thousands."

ONLY PROPERTY OWNERS WILL VOTE IN RUSSIA

Proposed New Law Shuts Out All Who Pay Tax on Less Than a Russian Fortune.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, July 30.—The following are the principal points of an electoral system approved by the council of ministers for the proposed national assembly. The aim has been to elaborate a scheme eliminating as far as possible class representation. The only classes excluded from the franchise are soldiers, persons under the age of 25 years, foreigners, women, governors and vice governors of provinces, prefects and police authorities, nomads and persons deprived of civil rights.

For St. Petersburg, Moscow and 18 larger towns there will be a system of electoral colleges numbering 160 members. For St. Petersburg, Moscow and 80 other towns these members will be elected by electors of the first degree, comprising owners of land and house property exceeding $1,500 in value, the electors in the case of St. Petersburg, Moscow and other towns to include also the holders of industrial patents and paying specified taxes with no distinction as to religion.

For the provinces a similar system of colleges will be elected by voters of three categories, namely, land owners, electors of other towns than the before mentioned large towns, and cantonal representatives of peasants. Here also property qualification is required of $750 and similar tax qualifications.

The elections will be by secret ballot and an absolute majority is required.

ONE YACHT ONLY BRAVES THE STORM

PORT HURON, MICH., July 30.—Only one of the three yachts which started today in the race to Mackinac—the Sitarah, owned by R. A. Alger, Jr., of Detroit—is sailing over the course tonight. The start was made with a strong north wind blowing, and a very heavy sea rolling on Lake Huron. After sailing a few miles the crews of the yachts Sultana and City of the Straits found the weather too heavy and put back to this city. They will start again tomorrow, and will race for the second prize.

MOTORMAN ELECTROCUTED IN A TROLLEY WRECK

CLEVELAND, O., July 30.—Motorman George Searles was electrocuted early this morning, when a special newspaper car on the Lake Shore Electric railway jumped the track and was wrecked near Clifton Park. The motorman was caught in the front platform, when the body of the car left the trucks and slid off on one side, and a short circuit being formed, he was instantly killed.

THIEVES LOOT HOUSE, TAKING EVEN A BRUSSELS CARPET

Thieves visited the home of George Hare, 3802 Liberty avenue, yesterday, during the absence of the family, and made a partial sweep of the premises. Judging from the articles stolen the thieves intend going to housekeeping. They tore up a Brussels carpet from the parlor floor and took it away, took some chairs, table, cutlery, dishes and a quantity of provisions.

Cotton Workers Threaten Strike.

LONDON, July 30.—A strike of 60,000 Lancashire cotton operatives is threatened owing to the masters' refusal of a 5 per cent advance in wages. A ballot on the question of striking was taken by the operatives last week but the result of this ballot will not be made known until tomorrow night. The indications are, however, that a majority favor a strike.

Alleged Threats Get Him Into Jail.

NEW CASTLE, PA., July 30.—Frazier Lewis, a negro, was arrested here early this morning and lodged in jail without bail on a charge of felonious assault with intent to kill, entered before Mayor Hainer by Charles Wilson, whose life he was accused of attempting to take. Frazier is alleged to have fired at Wilson.

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Everybody is invited to discuss any time this week our special dinner set forth opposite.

50c Table d' Hote Dinner.

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With Giblets Gravy.
New Potatoes Stewed in Cream.
Green Corn on Cob
or Green Succotash.
Peach Short Cake, Lemon Syrup
or Ice Cream.
Tea, Coffee or Milk.
Bread and Butter.

A Half Year's Round Up Today.

We've already given you news of today pointing out how very little prices will buy various things of a high grade. It is the last day of our half business year and this evening at 5 o'clock the books will close on one of the most prosperous half years this store ever enjoyed.

The little lots of merchandise that were too small to go upon our stock sheets will be out today for smallest of prices and everybody who enjoys buying something for much less than it is worth can indulge their fads and fancies to the utmost.

As we have said, the news has already been given and we simply recapitulate in measured lines.

At $1.75 there will be on sale $3.50 Wash Skirts today.
At $1.50 there will be on sale $3.00 fine Lawn Waists today.
At $10.00 there will be on sale $20.00 White Dimity Dresses today.
For one-third less regular prices we will sell any piece of imported Leather goods.
For half prices Baskets will be sold today, any size from bathroom hamper to scrap basket.
At 65c a yard there will be on sale $1.00 and $1.50 Colored Silks; for the same price there will be 85c Black Silks.
At 15c a yard there will be on sale 25c Irish Dimities.
At 25c there will be on sale 40c Printed Mousseline and 45c Printed Organdies.
Women can buy the finest of Paris Undermuslins for half prices in some cases, in other cases less than half prices.
Women can also buy many different adornments for the neck for half prices.
Women who like to indulge in the pastime of fancy needlework will be offered the opportunity of buying stamped pieces, in some cases three-fourths less than their counterparts sold for.

All in all we intend making today one of those economical occasions that people like to refer to after the day has passed.

Another "Word Hunt" Next Sunday.

$50.00 IN PRIZES

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Rules and Conditions of the "Word Hunt."

The hunt consists of selecting four words from the advertisements appearing in next Sunday's issue of The Pittsburgh Gazette.

In selecting such words you are privileged to use each letter of the alphabet four times, but no more.

Each letter of the alphabet has a value in points, according to its location in the alphabet. For example, A is one point; E, two points, C, three points, etc. This would make the letter Z count twenty-six points.

The persons selecting the four words aggregating the greatest number of points (on the basis described above) will receive the prizes. We give below examples to demonstrate the difference in value of words. Take the word "Furniture."

6—21—18—14—9—20—21—18—5
F—U—R—N—I—T—U—R—E

It contains nine letters and represents 132 points, whereas, you take the word "Handkerchief."

8—1—14—4—11—5—18—2—8—9—6—5
H—A—N—D—K—E—R—C—H—I—E—F

It contains twelve letters, which only represent 92 points.

Answers must give the words selected, explain from what ad they were taken and where the ad is located in the paper. This is necessary to properly check the answers.

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First Prize		$15.00
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$5.00	each	10.00
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each		10.00
Five Prizes	$1.00	
each		5.00
13 Prizes		$50.00

After each word must be given the number of points it represents, at the bottom of the sheet the total of the points represented in the four words. Sign your name and address plainly.

Should two or more contestants be tied for certain prizes, such prizes will be distributed pro rata among such contestants.

Every person is eligible to enter the Hunt except employes of The Pittsburgh Gazette and members of their families.

All answers must be sent in on the blank form provided in The Sunday Gazette.

No contestant will be awarded more than one prize.

All answers must be in The Gazette office by 9:00 a. m. of the following Thursday.

Answers must be addressed to Manager "Word Hunt," The Gazette, Pittsburgh, Pa., and either sent by mail or delivered in person at our Business Office.

Any answer which does not comply strictly to the foregoing rules will not be considered.

Any points not covered in the above rules will be decided in an equitable manner by the Sunday Editor of The Gazette and the Manager of this contest.

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Anyone unable to purchase a copy of The Pittsburgh Gazette on trains or at news stands will confer a favor by reporting the same to this office.

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Allegheny is pursuing the laudable object of abolishing all railroad crossings at grade. A fresh batch of ordinances are now proposed to that end and while they may not be regarded as an unmitigated blessing it is probable they will be supported on the strength of the general principle. The crossing at grade is an unqualified evil.

Failure attended the attempt of the city administration, yesterday, to dictate to organized labor who should be recommended for the promised place on the Democratic-Citizens ticket. There were enough genuine representatives of organized labor at the meeting to block the scheme. Very properly they demand that if they are to have a representative on any ticket of that party he should be their choice.

President Roosevelt, in accord with his well established custom, has referred the latest scandal in the department of agriculture to the department of justice for investigation and action. If there has been illegal conduct, prosecution will follow. If the offense has simply been against the proprieties, resignation will end the incident, except for such steps as can be taken to prevent similar occurrences in the future. In any event the influence of this administration is being strongly exerted to establish a higher standard of official duty.

A final vote was taken by the Zionist congress at Basle yesterday, on the British offer of a large territory in Africa for a Jewish national colony. The resolution adopted firmly but courteously declines the proffer, declares the national home must be near the former scene of national greatness, and asks Great Britain to continue its friendly attitude toward the Jewish people. Many will be disappointed by his action, for while they prefer a national regime in Judea, they realize a present urgency to find a home for thousands of their race oppressed by the intolerance of nations where they have found an abiding place. The African proposition offered a partial solution, at least, of that problem.

There is not much to be said for the abuse that is being heaped on Gen. Stoessel in Russia. It does appear that Stoessel posed as the hero of Port Arthur, sending out pathetic bulletins and assurances that he would never surrender, while another officer was conducting the actual defense that challenged world-wide admiration. What of that? He did what all Russia has been doing—boasted gallantly without equally gallant deeds. At the very least he faced the enemy and suffered. He accepted the inevitable when he surrendered. He might have held out a few weeks at great sacrifice. He did a service to humanity by yielding. It is not creditable to Russia nor to Russians to assail him for weakness.

Quarantine in the south has attained to serious proportions and New Orleans is of the opinion it will suffer more from the embargo on trade than from the yellow fever itself. Obviously the mosquito theory of infection is not accepted by state and local authorities, for that theory precludes the idea of general dissemination of contagion by the distribution of merchandise. It is probably as well for the people at large that old regulations are enforced, though a different attitude would assist materially in testing the accuracy of the scientific belief. Some confirmation or contradiction will be had in any event, but in a matter of so much importance the most conclusive proof is desirable, not to mention the good of unrestricted traffic.

Without knowledge of the merits of the question involved, the conduct of the mayor of Springfield, Ill., appears most extraordinary. Under the law of that state the mayor presides at the meetings of the board of aldermen. In this case the mayor refused to entertain a motion affecting a franchise. His policemen roughly suppressed the aldermen who protested, resorting to fisticuffs and a display of weapons. The mayor then adjourned the meeting and the police made the order effective. Afterward 14 of the 16 aldermen met and adopted the motion the mayor would not hear. If majorities are to rule a mayor and two aldermen ought not to be allowed to overrule 14. The minority may have had the right side of the question, but it was certainly in the wrong in the methods employed. A more flagrant case could hardly be imagined.

A Monstrous Proposal.

Reports persist that it is the intention of the administration, at the extraordinary meeting of councils today, to have introduced, and to pass, if possible, an ordinance repealing the ordinance for a bond election on August 22, and ordinances fixing the grade of all streets and alleys in the hump district on the basis of the 18-foot cut. If these reports be true, the program is as extraordinary as the calling of councils to meet in the middle of the summer vacation. The repealer concedes the hostility of the people to the 18-foot cut shown in the bond election last year; the grade ordinances are equivalent to an open defiance of the conceded public opinion.

What can be the object of such a program? Simply retaliation upon the people who have dared to think for themselves. Because there has been objection to the expenditure of an untold sum at the behest and for the private advantage of a few persons an artificial obstruction is to be put in the way of the natural progress of the city. While it is claimed the hump is a natural bar to development, the advocates of extreme and unnecessary reduction are moving to erect an artificial barrier to such improvements as would be made regardless of the hump.

There is no way to force submission of this monstrous proposition to a vote of the people. Yet there is a way in which the people will have an opportunity to vote on it. When that time comes the opportunity will not be neglected if this scheme is forced through. We doubt, however, that councils will lend themselves to it.

Opposition to Elkins.

Following the announcement of Judge Reese Blizzard of Parkersburg as a candidate for United States senate, comes another from Zachary Taylor Vinson of Huntington. These gentlemen desire to succeed the Hon. Stephen B. Elkins who is himself a candidate for re-election. These announcements promise to prevent any monotony in the coming campaign. Judge Blizzard is a leader of the faction opposed to the new system of corporate taxation, inaugurated by Gov. William M. O. Dawson in fulfillment of his ante-election pledge to the people, and expects support from those who hold Senator Elkins largely responsible for the nomination and election of the governor. It is not so clear where Mr. Vinson expects his support to come from. He is a recent convert from Democracy—one of the army that revolted against Bryan and his Populist doctrines. He poses simply as the candidate of the south end of the state, both of the present senators being from the northern districts.

With these forces of opposition in the field Senator Elkins will be compelled to hustle some. This should be good for the party. It will lend additional interest. The Democracy may imagine it will make an opening for it, but if so will find itself mistaken. Senator Elkins has a strong hold on the people of his state because he has done much to develop its natural resources and because he was in the forefront of the long struggle that wrested it from Democratic control. He was taken up by the first Republican legislature that had the election of a United States senator in its hands, as the logical candidate. Though the state has since become accustomed to being Republican, the sentiment of gratitude to Senator Elkins is not dead by any means.

Apostles of Doleful Dumps.

One of the current monthly magazines affects to give the location of grafts now prevailing in the United States, and with studied efforts draws the conclusion that the country has become afflicted with a fever of dishonesty in commercial as well as official life, which is but a variant of the familiar complaint of the pessimists that the world is growing worse. There is nothing to substantiate these conclusions. It is human nature to exaggerate present ills and forget or minimize those of the past. The people were just as bad in the "good old days" as they are made out to be in the present.

There were some stupendous grafts in the years gone by that make the operations in that line at present look very tame by comparison. Was there any conspiracy for robbing the taxpayers more iniquitous than that of the Tweed ring, where the stealings ran up into the millions? Have we anything just now to approach the De Golyer pavement, credit mobilier, star route and other scandals that 20 odd years ago excited the public mind? There was just as much peculation in public office, just as much private dishonesty as has been unearthed in recent times. Much more of it is being found out than formerly because the public conscience has been aroused to a greater extent.

Evidences of improvement in this respect can be cited in the prosecution of United States Senators Burton and Mitchell, the sending to the penitentiary of men who were connected with the frauds practiced on the postoffice department and the cleaning out that is now going on in the agricultural department. Many evils are being corrected, the scoundrels are being ferreted out and a higher standard has been set for the public service. The world today is improving in spite of carping critics and doleful prophets who would have it otherwise.

How About Meters?

Director Bigelow avers the money will be found for Twentieth ward water extension without disturbing the filtration fund; Controller Larkin avers he will countersign warrants on that fund for contracts for water distribution and meters, and so the game goes on. The Twentieth ward cares less where the money comes from than that it shall be promptly found to give it the needed service.

More general interest will be taken in the mention of meters. It is true, as the controller says, the bond issue of last year included metering of the service. That naturally precedes filtration. It is essential to prevent the ruthless waste of water that has long been going on in this city, taxing the pumping facilities and occasionally threatening a water famine. What has been done in the way of metering the service? A report of progress in that direction would be interesting to citizens generally.

As far as the public knows there has been no important installation of meters. There was a contract authorized some time ago for enough meters to make a start—just a start. The public would like to know the start has been made and that the work is to be pushed so the meters will be installed by the time the filtration plant is completed. How about it?

Kansas Sensations.

Kansas is at it again. This time the demonstration has taken the form of destruction of a portrait of Carrie Nation, hung in the rooms of the state historical society in the capitol at Topeka. A card hung on the wrecked frame intimated the work of devastation had been wrought by the ghost of Gen. Custer. Previously a picture representing "Custer's Last Stand," presented by a brewery and hung in the same room, had been destroyed by a female disciple of Mrs. Nation, because it bore the name of the brewery.

Outside of Kansas these things would hardly be possible. In Kansas they are treated as the refreshing incidents of ordinary life. Outside of Kansas, for that matter, Carrie Nation and her hatchet would have been unthinkable. In Kansas anything that is conceivable may happen—there are citizens, even, who are noted for their good, common sense. They are more conspicuous there than elsewhere.

The most marked characteristic of Kansas is the fact that it is proud of its freaks. Other states develop a freak occasionally, but they usually try to suppress it. Kansas heralds a freak as something to be seen and known of all men. It hardly blushes for a corporation that borrows money to pay dividends and then calmly asks the deluded stockholders to stand an assessment to pay the debt.

In St. Petersburg Gen. Stoessel is called the "poltroon of Port Arthur." It is true the Japanese have given the title of "hero of Port Arthur" to another man. Yet St. Petersburghers who have never shot off anything but their mouths, have no call to hurl epithets at the man who had talked bravely under fire.

There is remarkable unanimity among the 18-foot cut organs that it would be idle to expect the people to approve the project at the polls. Yet one of them has already approved the proposal to have councils adopt the objectionable grade. The people be——. Eh?

The unspeakable Dispatch has its wires crossed again on the court decision in the Duquesne way railroad case. It appears unable to distinguish the common pleas from the United States district court.

Controller Larkin assures the public there are no differences between himself and Director Bigelow. Does he include the declaration of Mr. Bigelow that Larkin is not an Orphan, now?

The Democratic Citizens party made a mistake in not delegating the Hon. William J. Brennen to pick its labor candidate. Look at his success in handling the job he had.

Last year the people voted against an 18-foot cut of the hump. That appears to be Director Bigelow's warrant for asking councils to fix street grades on that basis.

There is no apparent difference between the Post, Dispatch and Leader on the subject of state politics. But the Post is always Democratic.

Dr. Nathan Artz, scientist, is booming "zorene," the cement of the ancients. Is there an economic promoter behind the learned gentleman?

Springfield, Ill., has a strenuous mayor who does not hesitate to overrule 14 obstinate aldermen out of a total membership of 16.

Rigid quarantine at Havana against American ports is a notable turning of the tables. Cuba has learned its lesson pretty well.

Gradually one department and another gives up its scandals. They also give up their grafters under this administration.

This thing of dictating to labor who shall be named for political preferment does not always work out, it seems.

Mayor Wyman in the guise of a political Orphan will hardly be able to conceal his odorous identity.

Senator Elkins of West Virginia may have to dig up his rusty fighting armor.

A VACATION.

They told him that he needed rest,
He hurried far away
Where o'er the ocean's foamy crest
The wholesome breezes play.

He shot the chutes, he looped the loop;
He joined the mazy dance;
He saw the side show minstrel troupe,
And watched the ponies prance.

He ate hot sausages and things
He ne'er had seen before;
He won a cane by throwing rings
Until his arms were sore.

He walked the boardwalk all day long,
And heard the music play
Where rival organs, big and strong,
In discord grind away.

He drank long mixtures filled with ice,
Ate lobsters and sardines;
He dallied with the cards and dice,
And played the slot machines.

He tried to keep the pace in vain,
He did his level best,
He had to hurry home again,
Because he needed rest!

—Washington Star.

QUIET OBSERVATIONS

By ERASMUS WILSON.

What trials and tribulations do beset young people at every turn when starting out on the journey of life.

They think these trials are the hardest ever, and were it not that they have a sort of inner assurance that the worst is past, and that the good times, of which they have been dreaming, are just ahead, they would feel strongly inclined to drop out and let the race go by default.

That good times are just ahead of them is true enough, and if they are capable of recognizing them they will not have much trouble in finding them.

Some there are, if not a great many, who do not know a good thing when they see it. That is why we hear so much talk about hard times, and bad times, and so little about good times.

You think you would know good things if you saw them. Haven't you passed many of them or allowed them to pass you?

In order to know a good thing when you see it you must know what a good thing is.

Good things are things proper and suitable to your condition, and which, if well used, will add to your comfort and well-being.

When one speaks of a good thing do you think it is something you are to get for nothing?

Too often that is the ideal good thing—a bag of gold laid within easy reach.

The bag of gold is at the end of the rainbow, but we have to go to the end of the rainbow to find it. Those who go in quest of the bag of gold are known as rainbow-chasers.

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Dear Quiet Observer: I have been watching your column with a great deal of interest and think it is my turn to ask some questions.

Are gentlemen who work in restaurants generally nice?

Is a young man of 21 years of age, and exceptionally nice, too old for a girl of 16?

Is it improper to go to the place of business of a gentleman to meet him, having never seen him before?

Is it proper for a girl to kiss a fellow to whom she is not engaged good night?

Is there any harm in a girl making and keeping an engagement with a gentleman whom she knows to be going with another girl?

Is there any harm in visiting Highland park in the evening with a nice young man?

What is meant by "spooning?"

I hope this will not land in the waste-basket, for I am very anxious to have all these questions answered.

A TELEPHONE MAIDEN.

Can this be a real "Hello Girl?" Haven't you always imagined that the one who helloed you knew all these things and more, too? Maybe this one is new. Indeed, she seems to be a new sort, for most girls from 16 up hardly ever bother about asking such questions, but go ahead. Or, if they do ask, they pay little or no attention to the answers, unless they happen to agree with their notions.

These questions are pertinent, and timely, too, and demand safe, up-to-date answers, for much may depend on them.

From the clear and direct manner and form of these questions it is easy to infer that the "Telephone Maiden" has answers to each and every one of them up her sleeve; therefore, she is respectfully requested to send them in so that they may be discussed. As each of these questions interests her personally her answers will be all the more interesting.

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There are many others besides the "Telephone Maiden" who are interested in these same questions. But in order to get into the spirit of the matter, and to give answers in the proper spirit, it is necessary to know what their answers would be.

It is not very difficult to give an answer to any or to all of these, but they will not be the answers that will answer satisfactorily to those who are asking the questions.

If the "Telephone Maiden's" own answers were known it would be much easier to show her where she is wrong and to set her right. No doubt she has her own answer for each and every one of them, and has written in the hope that they will be sustained.

We will let her answer, and if her answers do not appear to be safe and sane she will be told wherein they should be amended.

As the case now stands, there is no chance for a scrap, because she hasn't showed her hand and is out of sight herself. Let her come into the ring and play a fair, open game.

All such questions should be discussed openly and not behind the bush, for there are hundreds of others so much interested that they will also take a hand.

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Is he rich?

That's the first question the average girl asks concerning any fellow who aspires to be her beau.

It should be the last question, for less depends upon it in the way of happiness and usefulness than almost any other that could be asked.

A girl can make no greater mistake than to accept a fellow on account of his being rich. This has led to more worry, trouble and failure than anything else. Without the qualities essential to a good and useful man money is a terrible curse, not only to the man himself, but to all with whom he comes in contact.

Is he handsome?

This is usually the second question, and is of really more importance than the first, particularly if the word handsome is used in its proper sense, meaning that which is pleasing, agreeable and satisfactory.

The man who is all this to a woman will make a far better husband, though poor in purse, than will a man of great wealth who is not handsome.

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With health and strength, and work to do, none need be unhappy, for life will not prove a failure to those who thus conform to the original plan.

In fact, it is only those who stray from the original plan that have great reasons for complaining of their life. All have trials more or less severe, but these are mere tests of fitness for higher and more important places in the scale of life.

Those who reach high places in life do so by passing certain tests, and the higher the place the harder the tests.

This is right, because it accords with the original plan, or nature's way. It is commonly spoken of as the survival of the fittest.

According to nature's way, only those who can manage to survive are really fit to live, so it may be said that in the estimation of nature those who die are not fit to live—not fit because they lack ability to resist the storms and trials peculiar to life here on earth.

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The chances are that the real "Hello Girl" knows a whole lot more about people in general, and cranky men and women in particular, than almost anyone else, for she not only hears about them, but hears them, and often hears from them.

How fortunate she can't hear the ring of the 'phone, for if she could she surely would go crazy. And if she had to listen to all that goes over the wires on her board she would surely die.

She will write a book some day, not on what she heard, but on what she didn't hear. The fact of the matter is that she hears but little and sees less, being shut up with a lot of other girls who are ever on the watch for the "drop-light" call.

Faith in the "Hello Girl" has prompted the reference of "Telephone Maiden's" questions back, with a request that answers be appended to them. These answers will be more interesting and more useful because they are attached to the questions.

Tainted Money.

Possibly there is not a contribution of as much as $1,000 made to any church in this or any other country, some part of which was not, directly or indirectly, gained in ways that would not endure strict moral scrutiny. Human nature is frail and prone to sin as the sparks fly upward.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

TALKED OF IN GOTHAM

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 30.—Capt. Alfred L. Wheeler, of the Royal Artillery, British army (retired), who is at present visiting here, returned to New York yesterday from a visit to the Portland exposition. On his way he stopped at Sing Sing to inspect the famous prison. What he says of it is not flattering.

"I pity the poor devils who are in that place," he said. "I have seen the inside of many a prison—I mean as a visitor, you know—in various parts of the world, including the Western penitentiary at Pittsburgh and the Eastern penitentiary at Philadelphia, but only in Russia have I come across anything to compare with the vileness of your criminal institution at Sing Sing. The prison is in a beastly state of unsanitariness and the cells are just black holes and badly ventilated. In this hot weather the sufferings of the inmates must be something dreadful. That prison should be completely overhauled or rebuilt. In its present condition it's a disgrace to the enlightenment and progressiveness of your people. Of course I don't mean that a prison should be a paradise, but I do say that a criminal, no matter how vile he may be, should be treated with a certain amount of decency. Whenever I think of that tour I made of Sing Sing it creates a bad taste in my mouth."

Famous Bear to Wear Glasses.

Dr. Amling, after an examination of the eyes of Dooley, the Bostock bear, which is going blind, has found a large cataract on the left eye, and the other eye is sympathetically affected. The surgeon believes that he can save the right eye by an immediate operation, but Dooley will have to wear glasses for the rest of his career in the arena. Dr. Amling is devising a pair of spectacles which will be held before Dooley's eyes by an apparatus similar to an ordinary muzzle, and which will resemble to some extent a pair of automobile goggles. He is afraid that if some relief is not given soon the Tibet bear cub will collapse and die of depression. He is of the opinion that Dooley's blindness has not been caused by any mischief makers, as was first thought, but that it is a form of the ordinary cataract, to which the bear family in particular seems especially susceptible. In the event of the glasses proving of assistance to Dooley he will be again used in the cast of the wild animal musical comedy, "The Dust Flecker," of which he was formerly a prominent member. He and Hooligan took the parts of Wall street bears. Dooley is the bear which earned fame by shaking hands with President Roosevelt at a recent reception in Bridgeport, Conn.

Not on Very Good Terms.

A tired cab horse stood at the curb in Greeley square at about noon yesterday, head down and listless. There came a damsel leading a long-haired dog. The little terrier wandered aimlessly along the curb and came in the immediate vicinity of the head of the tired cab horse. The young woman stopped to talk to a friend. Suddenly there was a series of high, falsetto notes, piercing howls and yelps. The young woman looked around with all the rest of the hurryup New Yorkers. There was her pet, suspended about three feet from terra firma, securely held up by his shaggy hide between the teeth of the horse. The latter was the most unconcerned being on the square. Calmly surveying the snarling, twisting, yelping, little terrier, the horse made no motion to put him down for fully a minute. Everybody was too much convulsed to render assistance.

Footman Didn't Like His Job.

A smartly dressed young woman drove up to the Thirty-fourth street entrance of the Waldorf-Astoria yesterday afternoon in a spick-and-span victoria. Seated on each side of her were two bull pups adorned with large spiked silver collars. She stepped lightly out and into the hotel, leaving the dogs behind. They sat coquettishly in a row on the cushions, evidently feeling conscious of their exalted station in life, their pugnacious noses sniffing in the air. The footman stood motionless on the curb beside the carriage, but every once in a while he would give a furtive glance at the pups, and in that look one could plainly see that if the poor chap had his way he would promptly kick the whole four-legged outfit into the street.

Rat Bites Little Girl's Toe.

When Regina Moeller, seven-year-old daughter of Henry J. Moeller of Brooklyn, was awakened from her sleep early yesterday morning and saw a rat that she declares was "as large as a dog" clinging to her toe, she gave a scream that not only awakened her parents but even aroused some of the neighbors. Not until the gas was lighted did the rat let go, and by that time the little girl was in hysterics. Her parents thought when she screamed that a burglar had entered the house through the little girl's room, and hurried to her. As soon as the gas was lighted the rat released its hold and jumped from the open window. Her father hurried out to get a physician. He was unable to get one in the immediate neighborhood, and a policeman sent in a call to the King's county hospital. Dr. Dooling responded and cauterized the wound.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria.
G. R. Wallace,
J. H. Hillman Jr.
J. T. Moore.

Imperial.
J. H. Konsor.
A. N. Spencer.
V. D. McMorrissey.
T. V. Wise.
E. L. McGraw.
J. W. Hamilton.
E. S. Bily.
J. N. Schaefer.

Victoria.
S. S. Moore.
T. W. Pratt,
Mrs. Pratt.
F. Engel.
A. E. Engel.
C. P. Engel.

Astor House.
W. B. Rohb.
M. B. Sheldon.
E. E. Stockmann.
Mrs. G. P. Stockmann.
T. D. Harman.
G. W. Fritz.
J. J. McKenna.

Hoffman.
R. Grant.
Mrs. Grant.
W. J. Carpenter.
H. Kahn.

Holland.
J. R. Speer.
R. Miller, Jr.,
Miss Childs.
W. D. Phelan.
J. D. McGeagh.

Navarre.
H. Feuchtwanger.
J. M. Gillespie.
A. L. Bowden.
Mrs. Bowden.

Continental.
A. J. Simon.
Mrs. Simon.
Mrs. R. Ray.
M. Horne.
Mrs. Horne.

Manhattan.
L. H. Trullan.
Mrs. Trullan.
E. W. Smith.
R. Thaw.

Kensington.
J. H. McMillen.

Broadway Central.
Miss M. J. Reeves.
Mrs. S. J. Reeves.
H. W. Reeves.
Mrs. Reeves.
Miss B. Weynard.
M. McKelver.
W. A. McCormick.
L. B. Feldstein.

New Amsterdam.
Miss B. Wolf.
G. M. Thomas.
Mrs. Thomas.

Marlborough.
Miss E. Knost.
J. H. Zimmerman.

Vendome.
S. Geller.
Mrs. Geller.
Miss Howland.

Hotel Astor.
T. J. Kress.
Ora Snow.
Mrs. Snow.

St. Denis.
W. F. Miller.
Mrs. T. J. Miller.
E. T. Rollins.
Mrs. Rollins.

Herald Square.
T. A. Price.

Park Avenue.
G. D. Barrow.

Gerard.
E. A. Arven.

Netherland.
T. A. Kilcan.

Albert.
J. Kelly.

Bartholdi.
Mrs. L. Kendall.

Fifth Avenue.
Mrs. F. P. Thorpe.

Earlington.
A. M. Helsey.

Gilsey.
J. F. Corless.
Mrs. Corless.

Seville.
B. Harrison.

Cadillac.
G. Torrence.

His Father's Approval.

A clergyman who was out walking one Sunday came across some boys who were playing baseball in a vacant lot. Going up to one of them who had just been struck out, he said: "Young man, don't you know that it is very wrong to play baseball on Sunday? What would your father say if he knew about it?"

"You'd better ask him," was the reply; "he's playing shortstop."—Harper's Weekly.

STATE GLEANINGS

A Troublesome Rattlesnake.

A four-foot rattlesnake held undisputed possession of the barber shop of W. S. O'Brien in Lewisburg last Friday noon for a few minutes. The snake had been captured a few days before by Charles Vanatta, who found it in a lumber yard, and who made it a prisoner by looping a stout cord about his neck. It was placed in a box and presented to Mr. O'Brien. On Friday he attempted to place it in a larger box, in the presence of a number of spectators, but the reptile managed to escape. Instantly the shop was deserted. A gun was finally procured and a well aimed shot dispatched the reptile. It had 12 rattles and a button.—Wellsten Agitator.

Busy Sundays for Sheriff's Wife.

Sunday is no rest day for Sheriff Neal's wife. In addition to the daily boarding of twenty-two or three prisoners, she has to let in a great host of curious sightseers. The W. C. T. U. committee has for years held services from 3 to 4 p. m., and any one can be admitted to them. Last Sunday several people were waiting anxiously to see the "murderers." Not one of these persons knew either of the men, but were curious to see them simply because they had taken life. No one would blame Sheriff Neal if he would issue orders that Sunday visitors would not be admitted unless relatives or friends on immediate business.—Indiana Messenger.

An Aged Shopper.

Robert H. Torrey, a turnkey in the Eighth district police station, Philadelphia, is spending his vacation near Prospect park, in his cottage along Darby creek, and is entertaining his aunt, Mrs. Mary Scott, who is 96 years of age. She has the use of all her faculties, can walk about and see and hear distinctly. Accompanied by Mrs. Torrey, the remarkable old lady walked through the streets of Chester on Wednesday and did some shopping. She came to America from England in 1841, and has a vivid recollection of many important events in the early part of the nineteenth century.—Delaware County American.

Feast of Bachelors.

The members of the Bachelor club enjoyed their midsummer melon feast at their club rooms in the First National Bank building last Saturday evening. It is the custom of the club to have a feast every month and in addition to the banquet a euchre is held and a prize awarded to the best player. At an appropriate hour the boys put down to do their duty toward the melon supply and the report is that some of them were laid up the next day and were not able to occupy their usual places at church.—The Duquesne Miner.

The Beer Worked.

A keg of beer consigned to a Butler party through the United States Express Company, got tired of living a quiet life this morning and started to work on its own account. The beer "worked" with such effect that a volume of gas was formed in the keg, with such power that an explosion occurred, bursting the keg and scattering beer and kegs all over the office of the company, and besides giving the employes a scare, together with some idea of the force corked up in a keg of beer.—Butler Times.

Boasted Too Soon.

"I never had any fires and a I guess I won't for awhile; and I never carried any insurance, either," said Ezra Wolfe, a farmer of Morris township, to an insurance agent when the latter wanted him to insure his barn last Friday. The next day Wolfe's barn was struck by lightning and burned to the ground with all its contents. Wolfe had just built the structure and had it filled with hay, grain and valuable farming implements. The loss will be several thousand dollars. —Charleston Meteor.

The Squire Preserved Order.

At a hearing before Squire M. E. Sell at Wimber the other day, a foreigner insisted on butting into the hearing. After several of his interruptions the squire admonished him to keep quiet, and when he refused to do that he was ordered out. The foreigner, however, was looking for trouble and the squire accommodated him by planting a good right-hand blow on his head. Now the squire has a sprained hand and the foreigner a sore head.—Somerset Standard.

Secured Three Pets.

Job F. Ritchey, living in the northern end of Morrison's Cove, captured three rattlesnakes on Saturday last while walking along Dunning's mountain. One of the snakes was yellow in color and four feet three inches long, with eleven rattles and a button. The other two were black, one four feet long with nine rattles and a button and the other three feet long with eight rattles. The snakes were captured alive.—Everett Press.

The Customary Antidote Effective.

Dean Stewart of South Fork had a narrow escape from death several days ago, and is just getting over the effects of the deadly bite of a large rattlesnake which came so nearly being the cause of his demise. One of Stewart's companions happened to have a flask containing some whisky and the wound was carefully bathed in the liquid, while the victim imbibed a large quantity.—The Cresson Record.

The Constable Caught Napping.

Philip M. Cramer, the worthy constable of the Fourth ward, was caught napping on Saturday night when some person not having the fear of the law, the Lord or the constable in their hearts, broke into his chicken coop and stole ten nice fat chickens. Mr. Cramer will cultivate the eagle eye in the future.—Scottdale Observer.

Hit by a Motto.

A man in one of our neighboring counties came into court with his head cut and bruised, inflicted by his wife. The judge asked what kind of an implement she had used and the man replied that it was with the framed motto, "God Bless Our Home."—Butler Citizen.

A Tame Bear at Large.

A big bear that recently escaped from traveling Italians is making its headquarters in an abandoned coal mine near Swangertown, Fayette county, from which it raids neighboring chicken coops nightly.—Mt. Pleasant Journal.

Broke His Own Arm.

Edward Day of Dunbar threw a stone at a dog a few nights ago with such force that he broke his arm. If the stone had hit the dog it is hard to imagine the results on the canine.—Scottdale Independent.

HAVE A SMILE.

Agent—Here is a book you can't afford to be without.

Victim—I never read books.

Agent—Buy it for your children.

Victim—I have no family—only a cat.

Agent—Well, don't you need a good heavy book to throw at the cat, sometimes?—Cleveland Leader.

Cobbe—There was another girl in love with me, so my wife married me for spite.

Dobbs—Well, she certainly got good and even with herself.—Detroit Tribune.

Latehours—My nerves are all out of kilter, Friend—Why don't you take something for them?

Latehours—That's what's the matter—I've taken too much for them.—Detroit Free Press.

We used to tell our tales of woe
To the supper at eleven,
But nowadays we walk there, go
To a ten-cent magazine.
—Louisville Courier Journal.

PICKED UP IN LOBBIES

Going Back to Italy.

A company of 37 Italians left over the Baltimore & Ohio last night for Baltimore, from where they will take steamer for the old country. All were from the Pittsburgh district.

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Leave for Soldiers Bay.

The Excelsior Hunting and Fishing club left last night over the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh for Soldiers Bay, Ont., Canada, where they will be in camp during the month of August.

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Excursion Traffic Heavy.

Excursion traffic was unusually heavy over all the roads running out of Pittsburgh yesterday. On trips to nearby shooting resorts the Baltimore & Ohio carried 1,371 passengers, the Wabash carried 700 to Wheeling, and the excursions to Uniontown, Ohio Pyle and Fairmont, W. Va., were heavily patronized.

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Going to Yellowstone Park.

George L. Potter, third vice president of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, passed through Pittsburgh with his family last night. They occupied a special car and are en route to Yellowstone park, where they will sojourn during the month of August.

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Off for National Convention.

Representatives from the local bodies of the National Association of Stationary Engineers left last night over the Baltimore & Ohio for Louisville, Ky., where they will attend the annual convention being held there during this week. Other delegates from this vicinity will leave this morning.

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Movements of Wabash Officials.

P. E. Dominick, ticket and passenger agent for the Wabash railroad at Toledo, O., who has been attending a few days in Pittsburgh, left for Toledo last night over the Pennsylvania. Robert Blickensderfer, general passenger of the Wabash lines east of Toledo, arrived in this city last night from Cleveland. He will be here for a few days.

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Supply Japanese With Cigarets.

John C. Bohman, an independent tobacco manufacturer of Richmond, Va., passed through Pittsburgh last night en route to Chicago. In speaking of the trade, Mr. Bohman said: "The independent tobacco manufacturers have been trying for a long time to establish a business in Japan and at last they have succeeded. Some of our agents have made a contract with the Japanese government to supply the Japanese army with tobacco, and a government representative is on his way to this country now to make arrangements for the first consignment to be shipped from Richmond. We feel confident now that we can get much of the small cigarette trade, especially in cigarets."

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End of a Three Years' Fight.

Coaches of the Ohio River railroad, operating between Kenova and Wheeling in West Virginia, were run into the Baltimore & Ohio depot last night for the first time. This event marks the close of a fight that has been carried on between the Baltimore & Ohio and the Pennsylvania for three years. The Ohio River railroad, when it was built 10 years ago, made a contract with the Pennsylvania to carry its coaches from Wheeling to Pittsburgh. The Baltimore & Ohio bought the road three years ago and tried to annul the traffic agreement binding the little road. In this the Baltimore & Ohio succeeded recently and from now on the Ohio river railroad passengers will come into the Water street station.

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Says Reports Are Exaggerated.

Sergeant A. Freund of Troop M, United States cavalry, stationed at Antonio, Texas, passed through Pittsburgh last night en route to his home in Philadelphia, where he will spend a four-months' furlough. Coming direct from the region in which yellow fever is raging Sergeant Freund declares that reports from that district are greatly exaggerated.

"All the reports sent to the north and east from Loredoza are exaggerated," he says. "There is not any great cause for alarm and it is fear more than anything else that has prompted the stringent measures existing now in some of the southern states. The same thing happens whenever yellow fever makes its appearance. Several years ago yellow fever broke out in Galveston and quarantine was established everywhere. I was quarantined for two months and there never was a case of the fever within two miles of where I was. At that time everyone that got sick within miles of where there was any fever was reported to be suffering with the plague. I found this to be true down south last week. There is not half as much fever there as we are led to believe, and conditions are not nearly so bad as are reported."

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Joe Barber Much Wanted Man.

W. J. Patterson, city clerk at the Henry, received a telegram yesterday morning from Philadelphia which read: "Please notify Joe Barber of Burgoon Hall, Finance board, to meet me at Henry and reserve room." The message was signed "T. Delmer." A man was put to work to locate Joe Barber and every Hotel Windsor within miles of Pittsburgh was communicated with. Late in the afternoon Patterson got into communication with the Windsor, a small hostelry at Burgoon's Hall, in this county. They did not know Joe Barber, but said they had a barber there named Joe. The latter was called and over the telephone heard the message read. He knew the sender, and said he would start for Pittsburgh at once. The incident is an example of what the management of a large city hotel will do to accommodate its patrons, for the Henry probably spent more money hunting Joe the barber than it will get from the traveling patronage.

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Where "13" Is Lucky.

William Crosby, who used to be manager of the Hotel Anderson, is going to embark in business up state and soon will be host to the finest hostelry in Clearfield county. A visitor from the mountain county who came to town yesterday to dispose of his bear hides and fox pelts told the story. He said: "Mr. Crosby was 13 years the manager of the Hotel Anderson. It was opened to the public July 13, 1892. The proprietors were Mickley & Dean, the name of the hotel, Hotel Anderson, showing 13 letters in both the name of the house and the proprietors. The number of the safe deposit vault in the bank was 13, and the first man to leave his bill unpaid occupied room No. 13 and the amount of his bill was 13, and when traced to his home was found to dwell at 13 North Thirteenth street, Philadelphia. The hotel prospered, notwithstanding the superstition of it in which it was so tangled. It will be observed that the name William Crosby contains 13 letters."

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Carnegie's Old Bunkie.

Thomas N. Miller, president of the Pittsburgh Opera House Company, started for New York last night and will sail on the Kronprinz Wilhelm for Europe. He will make a few stops for Mrs. and spend some time with Andrew Carnegie. It is Mr. Miller's first transatlantic voyage since 1867, when he accompanied Mr. Carnegie on his first tour of Great Britain. Mr. Miller likewise was the man who induced Mr. Carnegie to leave the Pennsylvania railroad and enter the iron business.

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Arrivals at the Hotels.

The following visitors were registered last night at the Pittsburgh hotels:

Anderson—A. C. Townsend, New Brighton, Pa.

Colonial—C. H. Cohen, Altoona, Pa.

Griswold—J. C. Elick, Jeannette, Pa.; J. E. Shank, Wheeling, W. Va.; L. B. Andrews, Macelin, O.; R. A. Fisher, St. Marys, W. Va.; George McCrea, New Holland, O.

Monongahela—M. A. Kuder, Parkersburg, W. Va.; C. T. Wellington, Newport, O.; Walter Neary, Scott Haven, Pa.; F. W. Rogers, Meyersdale, Pa.; Thomas H. Hudson, Uniontown, P

COAL BOATS ARE READY FOR RISE

Rivermen Expect Record-Breaking Coal Shipment on the Coming Water.

WATER STREET IS A BUSY PLACE

Before nightfall tonight more than 8,000,000 bushels of coal will be on its way south from Pittsburgh. The heavy rains of Saturday, which acquired the dignity of cloudbursts in the upper Allegheny valley, have sent a magnificent rise down the river, which will give a boating stage at this point of from 10 to 12 feet. This will permit the shipment of boats and barges, and every steamer in the harbor which can be used was got ready yesterday.

Water street was an unusually busy-looking place. The Klein line boats and the Francis J. Torrance had attracted several thousand people to the wharf to take in the Sunday excursions. Mixed with these were a thousand or more rivermen or men hoping to secure a job on one of the boats. Wagons were coming and going from wholesale grocery and provision houses about the city, the boat stores were doing a rushing business, and the only man in that locality who seemed to have been counted out at all was the saloonkeeper. It was remarkable how little trouble was experienced in getting out a lot of steamboats without the saloons being open. It is not every rise that happens along on a Sunday, and this one meant considerable loss to the dispensers of liquid inspiration down that way. By today their customers will have left the city. The few speakeasies in the neighborhood did a rushing business, however.

Every Coal Company Busy.

Every coal company will get out a lot of coal on this trip. The Budd company will send out the Frank Gilmore, and probably a couple of others. The Clyde company will get out the steamer Clyde and also charter others. The United will send the Helen White, Diamond and Andrew Axton. They will all double back for large tows.

It is not known whether the Jutte company will get out any coal or not. That company has been remarkably quiet since the death of William Jutte. It is said the company has very little coal loaded here. It has four good boats on hand—the Gleaner, C. W. Thomas, Charles Jutte and Crescent—and could send out quite a respectable fleet of boats and barges.

The Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke company will, as usual, send the bulk of the coal. This company will send out 16 boats today. They are the Valiant, Joe Walton, Ironsides, Boaz, Exporter, Tom Dodsworth, Coal City, Charles Brown, Tom Rees, Iron Age, Sam Brown, Sam Clark, Ed Roberts, W. W. O'Neil, John A. Wood and Josh Cook. They will take an average of 17 boats and barges each.

May All Go Outt.

There is about 10,000,000 bushels of coal lying in the local harbor ready for shipment. If the rise should reach 12 feet practically all of this would be got out, which would undoubtedly make the greatest record for a July rise in the history of the Pittsburgh coal industry. The year so far has been a remarkably good one for the river coal companies, June proving a record-breaking month for shipments, and the coal has all been handled without serious accidents.

The rise, coming just as it did, opened the river again for the packets. Saturday the passenger boats were unable to get up the river from Rochester. Today there will be an abundance of water, and rivermen can be found who are willing to wager there will be packet water all during the month of August. Anyhow, the rivermen are all happy today.

The Keystone State will be the Cincinnati boat in today. The Ben Hur will also be in from Parkersburg. She had expected to get out of the trade after last week owing to the low water, but will probably be back at the wharf today, owing to the rise. These will be the only down-river packets to arrive today, and they will both leave before evening.

GIBBONEY FOR SHERIFF.

Citizens' Party in Philadelphia May Nominate Law and Order Society's Sheriff.

PHILADELPHIA, July 30.—(Special.)—Clarence Gibboney, who as secretary of the Law and Order society has uncovered numerous instances of graft in connection with the administration of justice, may be made the nominee for sheriff on the City party ticket. For years Gibboney has been the man most feared by the organization, and ineffectual efforts were made at the last session of the legislature to tie his hands.

Fearing that Gibboney would receive the Independent nomination, Republican leaders have already tried to forestall the City party and win him over to their side. The plan has failed, however. To those who have approached him on this subject Mr. Gibboney has made it clear that under no circumstance whatever would he accept office at the hands of the organization.

MOONSHINER CAPTURED.

After Killing United States Marshal He Makes His Escape, but Is Caught and Guarded from Lynchers.

ROANOKE, VA., July 30.—Cephas Poindexter, the negro and alleged moonshiner, who last Wednesday shot and killed United States Deputy Marshal Z. T. Wade in Franklin county, while the officer was attempting to arrest him for illicit distilling, was captured today 20 miles south of Roanoke.

He was driven through the country to Wertz station and hurried to this city and placed in jail to prevent lynching. His captors guarded him with shotguns and their march through the streets here attracted large crowds. Poindexter had been hunted for four days and was almost exhausted from starvation. He was armed with a shotgun and pistol, but was caught off his guard and compelled to surrender.

HUNTING FOR ASSASSIN.

Summit (O.) County Authorities Offer Reward for Arrest of Mrs. Lawrence's Divorced Husband.

KENT, O., July 30.—(Special.)—No trace has been found of Ford Lawrence, for whose arrest a warrant has been issued, charging him with attempting to kill his divorced wife. A reward of $50 has been offered by the Summit county authorities for his capture.

Mabel Dewey Lawrence, part of whose jaw was shot off by a bullet that pierced her tongue, may recover if blood poisoning does not set in, but it is not believed she will ever be able to talk again.

Vacation Trips
Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

Each Tuesday during August and September, 15 day excursion tickets Pittsburgh to Niagara Falls and return, $7.45, and to Toronto and return $8.90. Toronto trip includes delightful steamer ride across Lake Ontario.

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MANY WANT JOBS IN CONSTABULARY

Big Rush of Applicants for Positions in Pennsylvania's Mounted Police.

WILL SOON FORM TWO TROOPS

The work of organizing the Pennsylvania state constabulary authorized by an act of the last session of the legislature will be begun at Harrisburg this week. Capt. John C. Groome of Philadelphia, who has been appointed superintendent of the state force, has received 218 applications for the eight commissions to be granted. There is a probability that the appropriation of $425,000 made for the constabulary will be insufficient to pay the expenses for the entire complement until the next session of the legislature, and it is likely that only half the number of men will be engaged at the organization. Next spring its full strength will be mustered.

Thousands of applications have been informally made for places in the ranks of the force, and all manner of political influence is being brought to bear in favor of those who are looking for the remunerative positions which will be open. It is stated by Capt. Groome, however, that the constabulary will be organized on a strict military basis, and that only men of practical military training as cavalrymen will be accepted. The organization will be patterned after the Canadian mounted police in the Northwest territories, and will be in strict accord with the United States regular cavalry.

Divided Into Four Troops.

The force will be divided into four troops of 50 men each, officered by five sergeants, one lieutenant and one captain. Headquarters have been opened at Harrisburg and Capt. Howard B. Oursler of Company I, Fourteenth regiment,

Capt. Howard B. Oursler.

N. G. P., is mentioned as assistant superintendent. The captains will receive $1,500 a year, the lieutenants $1,200, the sergeants $1,000 and the privates $720.

The four companies will be distributed throughout the state in squads of 10, under charge of a sergeant. Normally they will patrol roads in isolated districts, preserve order, prevent the pollution of streams and enforce the game and fish laws. In cases of threatened trouble, riots or disturbances which the county and municipal authorities cannot quell, the constabulary will be quickly mobilized. The barracks for squads and companies will be so located that they can reach any point in the state in considerable numbers within a few hours' notice.

Men who can show an honorable discharge from the regular cavalry will stand the best chance of getting appointments. Rigid military discipline will govern the constabulary and the drills and tactics will be practically the same as that employed in the army. The men will be mounted and will be armed with carbine, saber and revolver.

Will Save State Guard.

The uniform will resemble the service clothes of the United States cavalrymen. The equipage also will be practically identical with that of the fittings of Uncle Sam's cavalry troops. With the new force it is expected that occasions will seldom arise when it will be necessary to call out the state guard. Special attention will be paid to the speedy mobilization of the constabulary, and Capt. Groome expects to be able to bring his whole force together in any part of the state within 15 hours, while a single troop can be summoned together in four hours.

Capt. Oursler will meet Capt. Groome at Harrisburg tomorrow. The commissioned officers will be appointed within a week or two. Then at least two troops will be recruited later in the year. The force will enter upon its active duties some time in October.

Capt. Oursler is a well-known architect in this city and has had experience under fire when he "soldiered" in Cuba. He was a sergeant then in Company C, Third United States infantry. A few days before his enlistment expired he was wounded at the battle of El Caney. He came to Pittsburgh and returned to civil life, entering the National Guard as a private. He rose rapidly from the ranks and four years ago was elected captain of Company I of the Fourteenth.

CROSSING CONTINENT ON FREIGHT TRAINS

Small Boy Arrested for Vagrancy Tells an Allegheny Magistrate of His Proposed Long Journey.

Magistrate Samuel Abernathey at Allegheny Central station had a rather quiet Sunday morning at the hearings yesterday. There were only 17 cases in all, and most of them were common drunks or disorderlies.

Amos Bert, a small lad, aged 16, was up on a charge of vagrancy. With Pat Murphy of Charleston, S. C., and Fred Armstrong of New York, both only a few years older than he, young Bert was arrested in a box car on the Pittsburgh & Western, near Chestnut street. The boy's home is in Portland, Ore., and he said he was on his way back there. For some months he had been working in Philadelphia and living with an aunt. His father, he says, is too old to work, and the lad was working his way back home on freight trains.

"A boy of your years who has nerve enough to start across the continent on freight trains, deserves to be helped," remarked the magistrate.

Bert and his two traveling companions were discharged. Murphy, who hails from the south, said he had returned recently from Panama and landed in Philadelphia. Yellow fever scared him north, and meeting Bert in Philadelphia, they decided to cross the country together. Armstrong joined them on the way over the mountains and the three intend braving the railroad detectives between here and the Pacific coast.

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SIX BIG TURTLES BOTHER LARKIN

Bigelow Urged to Drill a Memorial Salt Well in Highland Park.

TROLLEY RESORTS CROWDED

Will Controller John B. Larkin put his O. K. on the bill for the drilling of one salt well in Highland park? If he doesn't, how will the six big deep sea turtles at the zoo live and thrive? If the six big deep sea turtles aforesaid have no salt water and do not live and thrive, the menagerie will be incomplete, and why, then, shouldn't Controller Larkin be regarded as a stumbling block in the city's progress?

This is the line of philosophy which the controller finds himself facing this morning. He didn't imagine when Bill Little telephoned Superintendent George W. Burke at Schenley park on Saturday, telling of the gift of the turtles, that the big, floundering reptiles would create a mix-up in Pittsburgh politics and give some of the jobholders in city hall the willies. But that's what they have, nevertheless.

Bill Little has a particular friend at Atlantic City who is a sea captain. Turtles like the aroma of good booze, and it is proverbial down at the shore that the captain's brig in returning from a cruise is always followed by a school of convivial turtles from the deep emerald recesses of the Atlantic.

And Burke Accepted Them.

The captain caught the last batch, tossed them on their backs on the beach and wired Bill Little. Bill communicated the good news to Superintendent Burke and the latter shouted gleefully, "Bring them on."

The six big deep sea turtles will arrive at the zoo this morning. Ernest Tretow has half a barrel of salt left over and will use this until somebody puts in a requisition for a salt well. Tretow is having trouble already over his new tenants in the animal house. Visitors at the zoo yesterday told him that the turtles could not be regarded as legitimate gifts for the menagerie, because the city administration is simply fattening them there to be used in making soup in the next campaign for the voters in the First, Sixth and Seventh wards.

"Get the salt well by all means," urged another visitor. "Let Bigelow do the work. He ought to drill a memorial salt well to stand here forever in memory of the tears he shed over the hump."

Anyhow, the turtles will be here tomorrow and then Larkin's real troubles will begin. Yesterday there was a big crowd at the zoo and in Schenley park were many visitors.

In the Trolley Parks.

With concert bands, vocalists, comedians and other performers on the program the trolley parks attracted crowds yesterday. Patrons of Calhoun park were entertained by Dannhardt's Second Brigade band and the Louisiana Troubadours. Mayer's Braddock band was the feature attraction at Oakwood park. Andy Amann and the Bartells added to the worth of Oakwood's program.

At Southern park the Grand Army band, directed by Frank Panella, gave two pleasing concerts.

Kennywood park had very large crowds of visitors, many of whom were entertained by good band music, while the rest enjoyed the amusement devices or watched the troupe of educated animals. The Homestead Library band gave its initial concerts at the park yesterday and received a hearty reception. Under the direction of Edwin B. Dolan the band will give concerts all this week, afternoon and evening.

The attractions at Southern and Oakwood parks this week comprise four top-line vaudeville acts and new moving pictures. At Southern park are the Bartells, Mills and Raymond, Barry and May Howard and Joe Hardman. Oakwood's program includes Cotton's comedy donkeys, Buskirk and Rich, Frederick, and Baby Owens and company.

ANNIE IS A KICKER.

Sends One Policeman to a Hospital and Makes a Vicious Attack Upon Two More.

Annie Anderson, a negress of 905 Elgin street, who has already sent Police Sergeant Patrick Meemen to the hospital as a result of a vicious kick, yesterday tried to put Inspector James McAvoy and Wagonman James Williams out of business. The woman was arrested at her home for disorderly conduct, and while being taken to the patrol wagon tried to bite Williams in the back of the neck. Williams ducked, but the woman bit a mouthful of cloth out of the back of his coat.

When the woman reached the East End police station she saw the inspector. As she was passing him on the way to the cell room she launched a vicious kick that would have laid him up had it landed. McAvoy made a record-breaking back jump and escaped.

TWO POLICEMEN RESCUE KATKISKI FROM A MOB

Abraham Katkiski of 1231 Colwell street was rescued from a furious mob by two policemen yesterday afternbon and hustled to the Center avenue police station. It is said that Katkiski, while driving in Wylie avenue ran over Frankie Bland, aged 2, of 412 Logan street. The child had three teeth knocked out and was otherwise hurt. A crowd of 500 persons gathered and were preparing to make an assault upon Katkiski when the police arrived.

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Alliance and Orrville	* 4.30 am	* 8.00 am
Cleveland and Bellaire	* 8.30 am	* 12.30 pm
Wheeling and Bellaire	* 8.30 am	* 12.30 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	* 9.35 am	* 1.35 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 4.30 am	* 8.30 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 8.30 am	* 12.30 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 8.30 am	* 12.30 pm
Ohio Valley Express	* 8.50 am	* 4.30 pm
Salem and Alliance	* 9.00 am	*10.40 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 1.00 pm	* 6.00 pm
Wheeling and Bellaire	* 1.00 pm	* 5.00 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 1.00 pm	* 5.00 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 1.00 pm	*10.55 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	* 1.00 pm	* 5.30 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	* 4.30 pm	* 8.30 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 1.00 pm	* 5.30 pm
The Cleveland Express	* 4.00 pm	* 8.00 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.00 am	* 5.00 pm
The Toledo Special	*11.00 am	* 5.00 pm
Toledo and Toledo	* 1.00 pm	* 5.00 pm
Columbus and Chicago	* 8.00 pm	* 5.00 pm
Youngstown, Ashtabula & Jamestown	*11.00 am	* 5.30 pm
Jamestown and Ashtabula	*11.00 am	*10.55 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	* 1.00 pm	* 5.00 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	* 1.00 pm	* 5.00 pm
East Liverpool and Steubenville	* 4.00 pm	* 8.00 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 4.30 pm	* 8.30 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 4.30 pm	* 8.30 pm
Kinsman, Youngstown and Niles	* 4.30 pm	* 8.30 pm
The St. Louis Express	* 4.30 pm	* 8.30 pm
Youngstown and Chicago	* 4.30 pm	* 8.30 pm
The Cleveland Special	* 4.30 pm	* 8.30 pm
The Chicago Special	* 4.30 pm	* 8.30 pm
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 5.15 pm	* 8.00 am
Columbus and Indianapolis	* 5.45 pm	* 8.00 am
The St. Louis Limited	* 8.40 pm	* 8.00 am
The Pennsylvania Limited	* 8.40 pm	* 8.00 am
Toledo and Detroit Express	* 8.50 pm	* 8.00 am
Beaver Falls and New Castle	* 9.40 pm	* 5.40 pm
Alliance and Orrville	* 9.40 pm	* 5.40 pm
The Pennsylvania Special	* 11.45 pm	* 11.40 pm

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Leave for Beaver, *8.40 am, *8.30 pm.
Leave Allenheny for Salem and Alliance, *8.30 pm.
*Every day. †Week days only. ‡Sundays only.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD
(Eastern Standard Time.)
Leave Station, Smithfield and Water Sts.

LINES EAST.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accommoda	* 8.50 am	* 3.35 pm
Connellsville & Mt. Pleas	* 6.35 am	*10.05 am
Wash., Balt. & New York	* 8.00 am	* 7.45 pm
Conny., Un'n & Fairmont	* 8.40 am	* 7.05 pm
West Newton Accom	* 9.35 am	* 5.00 pm
Cumb., Wash. & Balt	* 2.00 pm	* 9.00 pm
Conny., Un'n & Fairmont	* 3.30 pm	*10.05 am
Connellsville & Mt. Pleas	* 3.00 pm	* 5.05 pm
Connellsville Accommoda	* 4.30 pm	* 9.05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston	† 5.00 pm	†11.20 pm
Philadelphia & New York (Duquesne Limited)	* 6.30 pm	* 3.30 am
West Newton Accommoda	* 5.40 pm	* 1.30 pm
Wash., Balt. & Phila	* 9.00 pm	* 7.35 am

LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.

Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac	* 7.00 am	* 9.10 am
Kanova-Parkersburg (Ohio Valley Express)	† 7.50 am	† 3.40 pm
Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex	* 8.50 am	* 7.45 pm
Wheeling & Kanawha	* 9.30 am	* 6.05 pm
Wheeling & Parkersburg	* 4.30 pm	* 9.10 am
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling	* 4.30 pm	*10.30 am
Wheeling and Parkersburg	* 4.30 pm	*10.00 am
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac	* 5.05 pm	* 8.07 pm
Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex	* 5.30 pm	* 3.35 pm

LINES WEST VIA AKRON.

Cleve., Akron & Lorain	* 7.40 am	* 3.00 pm
Chicago & Cleveland	* 4.30 pm	* 1.40 am
Chicago Limited	* 8.05 pm	* 7.02 am

(Leave Allegheny.)

Butler	† 7.40 am	† 9.00 am
Butler, Foxburg	† 7.20 am	† 9.00 am
Butler, Foxburg, Kane	* 8.35 am	* 4.30 pm
Butler, Conn. Lake, Erie	* 8.35 am	* 4.30 pm
Butler	* 4.30 pm	* 6.30 pm
Butler, Conn. Lake, Erie	* 4.35 pm	* 1.00 pm
Ellwood City	† 1.35 pm	† 4.05 pm
Butler, Clarion, Greenville	† 3.50 pm	†10.25 am
Butler, Ellw'd, N. Castle	† 5.30 pm	* 9.00 am
Butler	* 6.30 pm	* 9.30 pm
Ellwood, New Castle	† 6.35 pm	* 9.00 pm
Butler, Foxburg	† 6.35 pm	† 7.25 pm
Butler	*11.00 pm	* 7.25 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

RAILROADS.
PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.
Trains leave on Eastern standard time from Union station, Pittsburgh.

FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON.		
The Pennsylvania Special, daily, for North Philadelphia and New York		12.04 a. m.
Manhattan Limited, daily, for North Philadelphia and New York		1.15 a. m.
Keystone Express, daily		2.00 a. m.
The Pennsylvania Limited, daily		4.41 a. m.
New York Limited, daily		7.10 a. m.
Atlantic Express, daily		7.50 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily		8.00 a. m.
Buffalo Day Express, daily, for Buffalo		8.00 a. m.
Day Express, daily		12.01 p. m.
Mail Express, daily, for Baltimore and Washington		12.45 p. m.
Buffalo Special, daily, for Buffalo, Through Sleeping Car to Niagara Falls		4.00 p. m.
Wheat, Canada		1.10 p. m.
Chicago Mail, daily for Baltimore and Washington		4.00 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York		4.55 p. m.
New York Express, daily		5.30 p. m.
Philadelphia and Washington Express, daily		8.00 p. m.
New York Special, daily, for New York, Baltimore and Washington		10.00 p. m.
Philadelphia Special, daily, for Philadelphia only. Sleeping cars only		11.00 p. m.
Buffalo Night Express, daily, for Buffalo		12.00 p. m.

For Oil City, *2.22, 8.00 a. m., 1.10, 1.30, 3.10 and 11.00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m., 1.30, 1.30 and 11.00 p. m.

For Titusville and Corry, 3.10 p. m., 1.10 and 11.00 p. m. daily. For Titusville only, 1.10 p. m. week-days.

For Du Bois, *2.22, 8.00 a. m., 1.10 and 1.30 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m. and 1.30 p. m.

For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, all-rail route), 8.00, 8.00 a. m., 1.10 and 1.30 p. m. daily. "The Pennsylvania Limited," 8.45 a. m. and "New York Limited," 7.10 a. m. week-days. 10.00 p. m. daily through sleeping car.

For Cape May, 10.00 p. m. daily. "The Pennsylvania Limited," 8.45 a. m. and "New York Limited," 7.10 a. m. week-days.

For Asbury Park, Ocean Grove and Long Branch, "The Pennsylvania Limited," 8.45 a. m. and "New York Limited," 7.10 a. m. week-days; 10.00 p. m. daily.

For Connellsville and Uniontown, 8.35, 1.30 a. m., 12.10 and 5.05 p. m. week-days. 1.30 a. m. and 4.55 p. m. Sundays.

For Brownsville and Connellsville, 10.55 a. m., 4.30 p. m. week days and 10.55 a. m. Sundays.

For Monongahela City, 7.15 and 11.55 a. m., 5.15 and 11.55 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m., 4.30, 5.30 and 9.40 p. m.

For Butler, 4.30 and 4.55 p. m.

FROM ALLEGHENY.

For Butler, 4.30, 8.35, 10.30 a. m., 1.10 and 4.30 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7.00 a. m., 1.10 p. m.

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PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R.
CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.
Schedule in effect June 25, 1905.

CENTRAL TIME.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago & Conn. Flyer	* 7.15 am	* 4.30 pm
Cleveland Flyer	* 7.15 am	* 4.30 pm
Cleveland & Youngstown Ex	* 8.10 am	* 5.40 pm
Buffalo Limited	* 8.10 am	* 5.40 pm
Cleveland Special	* 8.10 am	* 5.40 pm
Cleveland & Chautauqua	* 8.10 am	* 5.40 pm
Buffalo & Eastern Express	* 8.10 am	* 5.40 pm
Lake Chautauqua Fast Line	* 8.10 am	* 5.40 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	* 8.10 am	* 5.40 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex	* 8.10 am	* 5.40 pm
Detroit Special	* 8.10 am	* 5.40 pm
Cleveland & Detroit Flyer	* 8.10 am	* 5.40 pm
Chicago Limited	* 8.10 am	* 5.40 pm
Buffalo Express	* 8.10 am	* 5.40 pm
Cleveland Night Express	* 8.10 am	* 5.40 pm
Youngstown Accommodation	† 8.10 am	† 5.40 pm
Beaver Falls Accommodation	† 8.10 am	† 5.40 pm
Beaver Falls Accommodation	† 8.10 am	† 5.40 pm
New Castle Accommodation	† 8.10 am	† 5.40 pm
New Castle Express	† 8.10 am	† 5.40 pm
New Castle Express	† 8.10 am	† 5.40 pm
Beaver Falls Express	† 8.10 am	† 5.40 pm
Beaver Valley Express	† 8.10 am	† 5.40 pm
Youngstown Accommodation	† 8.10 am	† 5.40 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven Ex	† 8.10 am	† 5.40 pm
McKeesport & Brownsville	† 11.30 am	† 3.40 pm
Brownsville & New Haven	† 3.30 pm	† 9.40 am
Brownsville Express	† 3.30 pm	† 9.40 am
Brownsville Express	† 5.30 pm	† 11.40 am

P. C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Bentleyville and Beechmont, 11.30 a. m., 12.30 p. m., 5.30 p. m.
*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.
City ticket office, 355 Fifth ave., Fort Pitt Bldg.
J. D. YOUNG, Gen. Pass. Agent. J. R. WOOD, Gen. Supt. Gen. Pass. Agent. Pittsburgh, Pa.

BUFFALO, ROCHESTER AND PITTSBURGH RY.
Ticket Office, 504 Smithfield St. Trains Leave B. & O. Station, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Eastern Standard Time.	Leave.	Arrive.
Buffalo and Rochester Express. (Cafe-Observation Cars week days. Reclining Chair Car daily	* 9.00 am	* 7.00 pm
Dubois Accommodation	† 4.50 pm	†11.00 am
Buffalo & Rochester 20-hr Express (Pullman Sleepers)	*10.00 pm	* 7.40 am

*Daily. †Week days.

WABASH SYSTEM
Station, Corner Liberty Ave. and Ferry St. Central Time. "Daily. Except Sunday.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Wheeling Express	*12.00 m	* 9.20 a. m.
Toledo, St. L., Kan. City	*12.00 m	2.00 p. m.
Wheel. Ex. except Sun.	* 4.30 p. m.	* 1.45 p. m.
Wheeling Spl., Sun. only	* 7.30 p. m.	* 5.45 p. m.
St. L., Chi., Kan. City	*12.30 p. m.	* 9.30 a. m.

Pullman Sleepers and Free Reclining Chair cars on through trains. Cafe Parlor Car on Wheeling trains.
City Ticket Office, 320 Fifth Avenue.

BESSEMER & LAKE ERIE R. R.
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WHERE LAWSON CUTS NO FIGURE

Fairhaven Folk Will Believe No Evil of Fellow Townsman Henry H. Rogers.

HE IS TOWN ROAD SUPEVISOR

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

FAIRHAVEN, MASS., July 30.—Fairhaven, Mass., has probably enjoyed larger benefactions at the hand of a single native son than any other city of equal size in the United States. Fairhaven lies across the river from the industrial city of New Bedford and is an ideal residential suburb, with its long wide streets, far-spreading giant elms and sea breezes. It boasts of all the features of a quiet, secluded resting place, and yet it enjoys the advantages of a city, being connected by an immense stone bridge with New Bedford.

This fair haven, for such indeed it is, is the boyhood home of Henry H. Rogers, whom Thomas Lawson, in his "Frenzied Finance," has characterized as the arch enemy, and whom he has declared to be the real head of the Standard Oil company, and, next to himself, the leading spirit of Amalgamated Copper. Here he spent his boyhood days and here he delights to come to steal away from cumbering care and amuse himself as fancy dictates and his burdened coppers amply permit. Emerson has said: "We never can part with it, the mind loves its old home—as water to our thirst, so is the rock, the ground to our eyes, and hands, and feet." This may truly be said of Henry Rogers and his interest in his old home. Down on Wall street or in 26 Broadway, he may be regarded as an austere financier; to Mr. Lawson he may appear as the enemy of society; but here in Fairhaven, where the "boys" with whom he studied the multiplication table or committed to memory the daily lessons of the village school, he is none of these. Here are some who knew him "down on Oil Creek" in the dim sixties; in the last century—how long ago it seems! They have seen him rise; they have known what it is to witness fame and still remain one of them. They know what it means to have him still interested in them and theirs; and they like him. There is still noticeable to a large extent between them and him that neighborly familiarity so peculiar to the Cape Cod country. As he drives along the street he salutes his old time schoolmates as George, or Charles, or Stephen, and in turn is saluted as plain Henry.

Remembers Old Friends.

Recently one of his boyhood companions and schoolmates died in Fairhaven. Henry Rogers heard of his death at his office in New York and at once telegraphed to the family offering to act as pallbearer. He is in personal and close touch with everything that affects the vital life of the little city and it is his keen interest and readiness to subvert his own affairs very many times to aid them that the homefolk of Fairhaven turn a deaf ear to the charges of Lawson and continue a steadfast friendship.

When the discovery of oil on Oil Creek, Pennsylvania, was first exciting the nation as a new industry with marvelous possibilities, Henry Rogers was standing with a firm foot on the threshold of young manhood. He was a poor boy with nothing much to recommend him to fame and fortune except a good character, high ambition and plenty of energy and good judgment. He was among the first to hurry to the front in the then "far west" and try his fortune in oil. There were other young men who went to Oil Creek from his town and who have since returned to settle life's last account among childhood scenes, who had just as favorable, if not more auspicious, introduction to the oil country as Henry Rogers, who saw at that time possibly more than he saw of the future, but who failed to open the gate of fame when opportunity the only time came and knocked.

In 1864-5, or thereabouts, Henry Rogers and Charles Ellis were operating a small refinery at McClintockville, on Oil Creek. When Rogers left this humble little plant to go to the Pratt refinery in New Jersey, his splendid knowledge of the refining business having been responsible for his opportunity of advancement, he had just $500 to call his own. With this, and with practically no knowledge or experience in the production of petroleum, Rogers turned his face eastward again and soon began amassing the great fortune which has made him so famous.

The Prince Came Home.

In a little more than a quarter of a century Henry Rogers returned to Fairhaven one of the richest men of his day and since then this town has known no better friend. Andrew Carnegie has given away millions of dollars for libraries and hundreds of cities and towns have profited by his gifts, but Mr. Carnegie rarely if ever makes a gift except that he attaches a string to it and saddles a bill of expense therewith upon the people. This in most cases, of course, is gladly accepted. It has not been so with the gifts Mr. Rogers has made the town of Fairhaven. When he gave a library he supplied it with books and provided means of support. The people of Fairhaven have received millions of dollars from Henry Rogers, but never a bill of expense. And, parenthetically, it might here be said, the neighbors of Henry Rogers resent the statement sometimes made that he owes his fortune to oil. "He made more money out of other things than in oil," they declare.

When Henry Rogers came back to Fairhaven several times a millionaire and one of the moving spirits in the Standard Oil company, he sought out one of the most commanding sites in the town, consisting of about ten acres, and purchased it for a summer home. Here he built a magnificent mansion. The cool waters of Buzzard's bay break upon the south borders of the estate. To the west are New Bedford bay and the Acushnesent river. Directly under the eaves, as it were, are the ruins of old Fort Phoenix, and across the bay is Fort Taber. A delightful spot, overlooking a pretty expanse of water. Around this point for many years before the petroleum industry, the largest whaling fleet afloat passed in and out of New Bedford harbor, while now excursion steamers sail majestically by on the way to Martha's Vineyard and Nantucket and Onset, near Mr. Cleveland's once famous Gray Gables.

Road Supervisor Rogers.

The mansion which Mr. Rogers here erected contains probably 50 rooms and with the barn, heavy stone retaining walls, improved grounds, etc. There is never any telling when Mr. Rogers may run down from New York, and therefore the house is kept open the year around. It is safe to say he spends a quarter of his time here, and it is no uncommon thing to see him driving about town directing some street improvement work, for, though it may not be generally known, Mr. Rogers is superintendent of streets in Fairhaven, and there is no like municipal officer in the country invested, either by law or implied, with more absolute authority.

Almost before he had completed his own home Mr. Rogers began to plan for the improvement of Fairhaven. To this time there had been little if any change in the town for a century. There were the same cobble stones in the streets which bruised his feet when a boy; even the paint on the houses did not seem to have been changed since he chased the butterfly across the open lots, or amused himself with Robert Bennett and the other boys down at the old fort. The first thing he did was to build a grammar school building, occupying a whole square, at a cost of $100,000. This he gave to the corporation and the people were highly pleased. But they had only begun to taste of his benefactions. The day was speedily to come when, if a new building were started, the question would follow as naturally as night the day. "Well, what is Henry Rogers doing now for Fairhaven, and who is this building for?"

About this time a great bereavement came to the Rogers home. Death plucks the fairest flowers. Millicent Rogers was her father's pride and joy, and to her memory he erected the magnificent Millicent library building, which adds so much architectural beauty to the town. This building cost approximately $150,000. It is constructed of brick and native stone. In addition to supplying it with books, Mr. Rogers placed $100,000 in trust for its support. Later he built a city water system at a cost of about $125,000, which he turned over to the city, with the proviso that its earnings should be diverted to the support of the library.

Next Mr. Rogers built a stone and brick city hall at a cost of about $200,000 and presented it to the town.

Undoubtedly Mr. Rogers' most magnificent contribution to Fairhaven was the Unitarian church property, consisting of a magnificent house of worship, a church home, which virtually amounts to a theater, amusement and banquet hall, and a parsonage. This gift was a memorial to the donor's mother. The elegance of these buildings is suggested in their cost, which it is said was over $2,000,000. A single imported rug is reported to have cost as much almost as any other church in the state of Massachusetts. The buildings were constructed of local stone; the windows and chimes were imported; every room and every corner is perfect in its appointments. Every department of the church, the music, lighting, heating, etc., has been endowed by Mr. Rogers. All that is required of the congregation is to provide $1,000 a year toward the salary of the pastor.

But Mr. Rogers does not confine his benevolence to this church, though it enjoys most largely of his bounty. In addition to other aid Mr. Rogers gives regularly $500 each to the other churches of Fairhaven.

Mr. Rogers has long been interested in the improvement of the streets of Fairhaven. He made a standing offer to furnish the stone curbing to all abutting property owners who would pay for the setting of the same. Ten years ago he was appointed superintendent of streets, which position he still holds, and in spite of the many, many demands upon his time and attention, he keeps in constant touch with the work. The annual appropriation for streets is $5,000, but it is said Mr. Rogers spends $15,000 to $20,000 every year, paying the difference out of his own pocket. The result is Fairhaven is fast becoming a town of fine streets.

When the great stone bridge was built across Ashnesent river, Mr. Rogers wanted the Fairhaven approach to be of a certain style of architecture. He was accordingly granted the privilege of building the approach, which cost him in round numbers $50,000.

Confidence Is Unshaken.

That the people of Fairhaven have confidence in the judgment of Mr. Rogers, as well as appreciate his work in their behalf, was demonstrated on a certain occasion. There was a division of opinion on a public improvement. Mr. Rogers thought one way, others another. Mr. Rogers wanted an unbiased expression. He was willing to follow the majority. Therefore, at his suggestion, a town meeting was held and a vote taken. Every vote except two supported Mr. Rogers.

About four years ago Mr. Rogers began the construction of a brick building in the center of the town, which caused more or less comment. "What was it?" "What could he be going to use that sort of a building for?" Finally it was completed and then, and not until then, was it learned for what purpose it was built. It was the gift of a new temple to the local Masonic lodge. Mr. Rogers imposed only one obligation in this presentation. In making it he requested that the name of Concordia lodge be changed to George H. Taber in honor of his lifelong and honored friend, Uncle George H. Taber, in whose memory the temple was erected. The name was changed.

In the middle of the town there is an old mill pond. Mr. Rogers is now engaged in reclaiming this ground by filling up the pond for park purposes. Houses around it are being raised and many improvements made. When the park is completed it is estimated it will have cost Mr. Rogers $300,000.

But this is not the last of Mr. Rogers' good work for Fairhaven; indeed, it is doubtful if Mr. Rogers himself knows what he will give the town next. At the present time he is erecting a $200,000 high school building, the foundation for which was laid a few weeks ago. A hotel, which probably cost upwards of $200,000, is receiving the finishing touches.

One of the most important, if not the first industry in Fairhaven, owes its existence to Mr. Rogers. This is the Atlas Tack factory, which produces a large percentage of the tacks used in this country.

Is it any wonder the people of Fairhaven turn a deaf ear to Mr. Lawson?

Vandals Destroy Church Ivy.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., July 30.—(Special.)—For several days it has been noticed that the ivy covering the stone tower of St. Mary's Episcopal church was wilting, and yesterday when an examination was made it was discovered that some miscreant had cut the vines close to the ground, thus completely killing a growth that it took years to attain. Detectives are now getting evidence against persons suspected of the vandalism.

Swimmer's Cramps Cause Drowning.

LANCASTER, PA., July 30.—(Special.)—Jacob Shenk, a young son of Harry Shenk residing on the Lamparter farm, near this city, was seized with cramps while bathing in the Conestoga creek at Pughs Mills this afternoon and drowned.

NEWS OF NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

THREE YEARS' HARD WORK ENDS IN GREAT SUCCESS

Catholic Total Abstinence Society Holds Jubilee Meeting Over Results at Irwin.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

IRWIN, PA., July 30.—A. B. Floyd of Irwin, vice president of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of the Pittsburgh diocese, this afternoon at Jeannette completed the three years' work in organizing a chain of societies in the coal and coke regions of Westmoreland and Fayette counties.

Today's meeting was held in the Sacred Heart school hall, several hundred being in attendance. The Rev. Father Meinrad of the Jeannette parish delivered the address of welcome. Vice President Floyd followed. Irwin, he said, was the keystone, the first total abstinence society having been organized there over 50 years ago by the late Father Murphy.

How the movement has grown in that place is best told by the fact that in the big parish the number of men outside the society can be counted on the fingers of the two hands. He laid great stress on the social feature to help along the work and cited the Derry societies as meeting once a month for a social time, which has brought into the movement in that town many of its leading citizens.

Mr. Floyd commended the press, especially the Pittsburgh papers, for the aid given to the movement. In reviewing the work of the past three years, Mr. Floyd stated that in Irwin, Greensburg, Madison, Scottdale, Leisenring and Penn Station, four societies each had been organized and two at Crabtree, with a total membership of nearly 2,500.

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The Revs. Father O'Donnell of Mt. Pleasant, Modestus of Penn and Organizer Stephen Madden and Third Vice President John McCavney of Pittsburgh, made addresses on the subject of total abstinence. Music was furnished by the choir of the Sacred Heart church. After the regular program a society of 100 boys was organized. The program for August was outlined. On a date to be announced later there will be a big rally at Derry. The principal speakers will be the Rev. John G. Beane of Pittsburgh, president of the union; fromer Congressman E. E. Robbins of Greensburg and Hugh O'Donnell of Homestead.

CARTER FAMILY GATHERS IN OLD-FASHIONED REUNION

Will Be Scattered Far and Wide Soon and Members All Get Together For Dinner.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

MILLSBORO, PA., July 30.—The Carter family reunion here yesterday at the home of Charles F. Dalbey was one of the most pleasant events of the year. It was the first event of the kind for the family and may be the last for some years, when so many representatives of the old stock will be present as, in a few days, several members will go to the far west to take up their homes, and the circle in this neighborhood will be broken up.

There are now living of the family three boys and two girls. All are married and all were present at the reunion with their families. Those present were A. E. Carter and wife, Elisabeth, and children, George, Blaine, Laura May and David G., of Donora, Pa.; William Riley Carter and wife, Annie, and children, Edith, Edgar, Herbert and Irene, of California, Pa.; Charles Edwin Carter and wife, Asenath, of Greeley, Col.; Charles Smith and wife, Jennie, and children, Earnest, Leland and John, of Beallsville, Pa.; Charles E. Dalbey and wife, Julia, and children, Earle, Mary and Blanche of Millsboro.

Dinner was served and the day spent in an old-fashioned family gathering. A. E. Carter and family start for Redlands, Cal., in a few days, where they will make their future home. Charles E. Carter is superintendent of public schools of Greeley, Col., and will soon return to his home there. A group picture of the family was taken and it proved an occasion of more than usual interest.

Could Not Stand Reproof.

ALTOONA, PA., July 30.—(Special.)—Leo Short, taken to task by his brother, by whom he was employed, for drinking too heavily, swallowed a bottle of laudanum and died early this morning. Short's family, believing that he was merely intoxicated, paid no attention when he fell over unconscious on a lounge, and it was not until they found an empty laudanum bottle that they realized what he had done.

FAITHFUL DOG DIED BY HIS MASTER'S SIDE

Bodies of Both Found by Boys in Ruins of Burned Building at Jeannette.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

JEANNETTE, PA., July 30.—Boys searching among the ruins of the old Merchants hotel, which was destroyed by fire early this morning, found the charred body of Jacob Haines, 62 years old. Beside him was the dead body of the dog which had been almost his sole companion in life.

Haines was a veteran of the civil war. He never married and lived alone in two rooms in the rear of the third story of the old hotel building.

Lewis Caldwell, who, with his wife and two children, occupied several rooms on the second floor, came home shortly before 2 o'clock, and with a lamp in his hand went to a refrigerator on the stairway for a lunch. The lamp exploded. In an instant the stairway was in flames.

So rapidly did they spread that Caldwell had to fight his way through the blaze to his rooms. Upon rousing his wife and children and returning with them to the stairway, they found escape had been cut off. All four rushed to the front of the house, where they were rescued by means of ladders raised to the windows. The building, a frame structure, had been abandoned for hotel purposes several years, and burned rapidly. The fire department directed its efforts toward saving adjoining structures. In the excitement attending the fire Haines was forgotten. When he was missed today a search was made in the ruins.

Haines had no known relatives except Samuel Haines, a half-brother, in Greensburg. The loss from the fire is about $2,000.

POLE KILLS CANVASMAN.

Employe of "Uncle Tom" Struck by Falling Center Spire Which Crushes His Skull.

BLAIRSVILLE, PA., July 30.—(Special.)—Robert Perkins, a tent man employed by Harriett's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" company of Denver, Col., was struck by a faling pole last night and died from the injury today.

The hard rain had made the canvas heavy and while the tent was being taken down the centerpole broke, striking Perkins on the head, causing concuesion of the brain. Two surgeons operated on the man, but he died this morning. Perkins' home was in Chillicothe, O.

Rewarded His Henchman.

CUMBERLAND, MD., July 30.—(Special.)—Congressman Thomas Davis of the Second West Virginia district has presented to W. E. Patterson, Democratic committeeman from Tucker county, a fine gold watch which Col. Davis promised to give the committeeman of the county making the greatest Democratic gain at the recent election. Tucker county showed a gain of 876 votes.

Celebrated Silver Wedding.

LATROBE, PA., July 30.—(Special.)—A surprise reception was tendered Col. and Mrs. Michael B. Murray Friday evening at Woodlawn park, on the 25th anniversary of their marriage. A special car had been chartered and when the honor guests arrived they were showered with rice and crowned with orange blossoms. After the presentation of an elegant silver tea service a banquet was served in the large pavilion.

Latrobe Y. M. C. A. Meeting.

LATROBE, PA., July 30.—(Special.)—A union meeting of the Young Men's Christian association was held at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the United Presbyterian church. The principal address was delivered by E. J. Dunlap, secretary of the McKees Rocks branch, on "How to Save a Man." Guests were in attendance from Greensburg, Ligonier, Derry and other points.

Miller Is Jealous of His Name.

GREENSBURG, PA., July 30.—(Special.)—Calvin Lentz was arrested at Youngwood last night by Chief of Police Amos K. Hutchins on a charge of forgery. The warrant was sworn out by R. D. Miller of Lebanon, who alleges that Lentz while a resident of that city placed his name on a note for $350. Lentz had been clerking in a store at Youngwood. He was taken to Lebanon tonight.

Next Seashore Excursion August 3rd, Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

$10 round trip; tickets good 16 days. Stop-over permitted at Philadelphia. Baltimore and Washington on return trip. Trains leave Pittsburgh 8 a. m., 6:30 and 9 p. m.

Tell Your Wants

through The Gazette.

DIED.

ROSS—On Sunday morning, July 30, 1905, at 8 o'clock at the family residence, 250 Emerson street, East End, HANNA A. ROSS, wife of J. L. Ross, in her 69th year.

Funeral services will be held at the Baptist church, Wheeling street, Washington, Pa., Tuesday morning on arrival of train leaving Pittsburgh at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

[Washington and Waynesburg (Pa.) papers please copy.]

ELLIOTT—Suddenly on Saturday, July 29, 1905, at 3 a. m., Squire A. D. ELLIOTT, at his home in Patten township, near Murraysville, in his 73d year.

Funeral services at the family residence this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

KING—On Sunday morning, July 30, 1905, ELIZA ANN M'MASTERS KING, widow of Hugh D. King.

Funeral services at her late residence, 4908 Center avenue, on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

LAMBIE—At her residence, 1319 Middle street, Sharpsburg, on Sunday, July 30, 1905, at 8 p. m., LENA LAMBIE (nee Miller), relict of John Lambie, in her 55th year.

Notice of funeral later.

LARGE—On Sunday, July 30, 1905, at 12:25 a. m., HENRY L. LARGE, husband of Mary L. Large (nee Rhoades), in his 66th year.

Funeral services at his late home, Livermore, Pa., on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

NORTON—On Saturday, July 22, 1905, at Tucson, Arizona, EDWARD M. NORTON, in his 41st year.

Funeral services at the residence of Mrs. M. L. Myres, 1165 Allegheny avenue, Allegheny, this afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Funeral Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

PAYTON—At his residence, 3933 Brighton Road, Allegheny, on Sunday, July 30, 1905, at 6:05 p. m., ANDREW A. PAYTON, husband of Mary McAleer Payton.

Notice of funeral later.

(Cleveland, Sandusky and Youngstown (O.) papers please copy.)

SMITH—On Sunday, July 30, 1905, at 7 a. m., MIRIAM L., wife of A. G. Smith.

Funeral from her late residence, Neville island, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Uniondale cemetery, Allegheny.

(New Castle papers please copy.)

WEIS—On Sunday, July 30, 1905, at 12:45 a. m., JOSEPH HENRY WEIS, beloved son of Joseph and Margaret Weis (nee Mihm), aged 11 months, 15 days.

Funeral on Tuesday, August 1, at 8:30 a. m. from parents' residence, 717 Chestnut street, corner Pike street, Allegheny. Angel mass at St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, Liberty and Nelson streets, Allegheny, at 9 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WILSON—Suddenly, on Sunday, July 30, 1905, at 10:30 p. m., OLIVE E. WILSON, husband of Lizzie Wilson (nee Korb), aged 38 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, 28 Almeda street, Glenwood, Pittsburgh. Notice of funeral later.

FLORAL EMBLEMS.
A. M. MURDOCH,
Court 2222. 250 Fifth Avenue.

JAMES M. FULLERTON,
FUNERAL DIRECTOR,
Will remove to 2007 Fifth Avenue, July 30.

The Death Roll

Mrs. Eliza A. King.

Mrs. Eliza Ann McMasters, aged 91, widow of Hugh Davidson King, died yesterday morning at her residence, 4908 Center avenue. Notwithstanding her advanced years, Mrs. King was endowed with strong mental powers and was on her death bed scarcely three weeks. Mrs. King was a daughter of John McMasters, one of the earliest residents of the Turtle Creek valley, and was born on February 10, 1815. She married Mr. King, a Pittsburgh banker, in 1832, and removed to the city. Mr. King died in 1883 and left the widow with one child, Willis L. King of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company. For more than a score of years Mrs. King was a member of the Second Presbyterian church, and during the past 12 years attended the Shadyside Presbyterian church.

Samuel H. Hoffman.

Word was received in McKeesport yesterday of the death in Jeffersonville, Ind., Saturday, of Samuel H. Hoffman, one of McKeesport's best-known residents, who was visiting his brother, Capt. J. H. Hoffman, in Jeffersonville. He was 72 years old and his death was due to heart failure. Mr. Hoffman retired from active business several years ago on account of failing health. He was a member of the Second United Presbyterian church of McKeesport. Besides his wife, he leaves one sister and two brothers, Mrs. Sarah Mains, J. H. and O. H. Hoffman, McKeesport, and George Hoffman, Sandy Lake, Pa.

Mrs. John Doyle.

Mrs. Johanna Welsh Doyle, aged 45, wife of John Doyle, died yesterday at her home, 2600 Forbes street, after four months illness of cancer. She was born at Cwuvan, Wales, and had lived in Pittsburgh for 18 years. She was a member of St. Agnes' Roman Catholic church. She leaves her husband and the following children: Margaret, Thomas, Julia, Johanna and Ellen Doyle. Funeral services will be held at St. Agnes' church tomorrow at 9 a. m.

Mrs. J. L. Ross.

Mrs. Hannah A. Bell Ross, aged 68, wife of J. L. Ross, died yesterday at her home, 250 Emerson street, of acute indigestion. She was born in Jefferson, Green county, Pa., and has lived in Pittsburgh for 18 years. She leaves her husband and the following children: William Ross, Washington, Pa.; Mrs. D. Gamble, Monongahela City, and Mrs. C. H. Allison of this city.

Alexander D. Elliott.

Alexander D. Elliott, aged 73, died yesterday at his home in Murraysville, Patton township. He was a well-known farmer, had been a justice of the peace for 15 years, and was active in Republican politics in the township. He had lived in the neighborhood of Murraysville for 70 years. He is survived by a wife and 10 children.

Pennsylvania Railroad Announces Their Fourth Excursion to the Seashore on August 10th.

$10.00 good in coaches, or $12.00 in Pullman cars, when accompanied by usual Pullman tickets. Special leaves Union station at 8:55 a. m. with coaches and parlor cars through to Atlantic City without change.

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Andrew A. Payton.

Andrew A. Payton, aged 40, a real estate dealer of Allegheny, died yesterday at his home, 2953 Brighton road, Allegheny, after four months' illness. He was born and brought up in Allegheny and for several years was engaged in the grocery business, later engaging in the real estate business. He took an interest in politics and was one of the presidential electors at the time of Grover Cleveland's last election. Mr. Payton is survived by his widow, who was Miss Mary McAleer, one brother, Thomas Payton, an undertaker of Allegheny, and four sisters. He was a member of St. Francis Xavier's Roman Catholic church, where high mass will be celebrated on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Mrs. John G. Crammond.

Mrs. Anna L. Hunter Crammond, wife of John Crammond, died yesterday at her home, 3003 Kennett square, Oakland, after a year's illness. She was born in the Second ward, Pittsburgh, and has lived all her life in this city. She was twice married, the first time to William Pender, son of T. A. Pender, ex-chief of police. She was a member of the Church of the Epiphany, of the Almeda Hive, No. 133, Ladies of the Maccabees and St. Anne's branch of the L. C. B. A. She leaves her husband, two daughters, Bessie and Janet Pender; a sister, Mrs. Roger Hogan, and a brother, William J. Hunter, both of this city. Funeral services will be held from the church of the Epiphany Wednesday at 9 a. m.

Mrs. Lena Lamble.

Mrs. Lena Lamble, aged 56, of Sharpsburg, died last night at her home, 1319 Middle street. She was the wife of the late John Lamble. She is survived by a son and one daughter.

Henry L. Large.

Henry L. Large, aged 66, died yesterday at his home at Livermore, Pa. The funeral will be from his last residence tomorrow at 10 a. m.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Massey, wife of Charles S. Massey, died at New Castle yesterday. She was 37 years of age and was born at Prospect, Butler county. She was a member of the Second United Presbyterian church and is survived by her husband.

Easy to Get a Situation

by reading and using Gazette want ads.

Big Oxford Bargains
25 to 50 Per Cent
Reduction Sale
July Clearance
W. M. LAIRD CO.
404-6-8 Market St.

BUT THE BABY IS NAMED.

Two Fatally Clubbed and Shot at Foreigner's Christening Festivities in Wilkesbarre.

WILKESBARRE, PA., July 30.—There was a christening at Georgetown, a foreign settlement three miles from here, this evening, which wound up in bloodshed. A wager was made among those participating in the festivities as to who could ride a horse most successfully. In a scramble to get on the horse's back there was a free fight in which several shots were fired. It is claimed that John Muscavage, who lived nearby, ran into his house, procured a loaded shotgun and fired into the crowd.

Mrs. Nellie Galump was shot, and her infant which she carried in her arms was also shot in the head, the condition of both being serious. Muscavage was arrested before he could leave and was brought to this city and committed to prison. Two unknown men were also shot and clubbed, one fatally.

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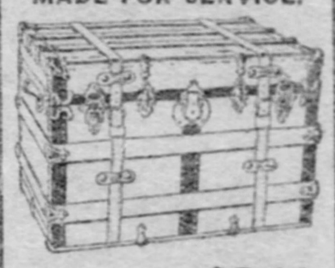

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AMUSEMENTS.
Luna Park TODAY Aft. and Eve'g
INNES and his BAND
TWO CONCERTS—2 to 5 and 8 to 11 P. M.
MRS. PARTRIDGE, VOCAL SOLOIST.
GRANADA and FEDORA, with BAJAH on the High Wire—4:30 and 9:15 P. M.
ADMISSION — 10 CENTS

Bijou BARGAIN MATINEE TODAY
"HOW HEARTS ARE BROKEN."
Next Week—CHAS. T. ALDRICH in SECRET SERVICE SAM.

SOUTHERN
Tonight at 8:30
HIGH CLASS VAUDEVILLE
New Motion Pictures
"The Counterfeiters."

OAKWOOD
Tonight at 8:30.
Cotton's Comedy, Donkeys and High-Class Vaudeville.
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IDEAL BURLESQUERS.

B. & B.
Lots we want to, and are going to sell.
At prices when seen people will buy them quick.
Small lot imported double width $1.25 Mercerized Panama Voiles—White grounds with dainty light Blue, Reseda and Tan embroidered dots, 35c.
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Broken lines 25 cent Belfast, Ireland, Dimities, 10c.
Lot 12½ cent light and dark Batistes, 6¼c.
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In a very short time now all the fine Wash Goods room must be had.
The goods at the above prices, and any amount of other good and pretty things, not advertised, equally sacrificed will prove that we're going to get this fine Wash Goods shelf and counter room.
$1.00 pongees, 50c
The heavy, rough kinds so successful this season.
This chance to get one of the dressiest $1.00 Silks of the season at 50c will do the business today—27 inches wide—variety of colors.
Table of handsome 75, 85c and $1.00 Fancy Silks—neat, medium patterns, 50c.
Other lots of Silks throughout the department on a basis that's like giving them away.
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One lot of each so important we look for immediate dispersal of the entire quantity.
25 and $28.50 Suits—Brown, Blue, Green and Black, $12.50.
Five Dollar Walking Skirts—light, medium and dark mixtures and checks, $2.75.
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Today we present an interesting showing of new Skirts, $5.00 to $30.00.
New Panama, Serge, Worsteds and Voile Skirts, $10.00.
Four new styles Gray and six new styles Black Walking Skirts, $10.00.
Handsome new Long Coat Suits—Gray and Tan Mixtures—Black, Blue, Brown and Green Broadcloth and Venetian, $25.00 to $40.00.
These are the very late new things—advance Autumn styles.
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Makes short roads.
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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

Office of City Clerks,
City of Allegheny, Pa.,
June 15, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance was presented at a meeting of select council of the city of Allegheny, on the fourteenth day of July, 1905, and was referred to committee on public works.

LAFAYETTE WILLS,
City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading and macadamizing of Riverview avenue, Fifteenth ward, from the end of present macadam to Riverview park line, and providing for the assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading and macadamizing of Riverview avenue, Fifteenth ward, from the end of present macadam to Riverview park line, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be inimical to the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Office of City Clerks,
City of Allegheny, Pa.,
July 12, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance was presented at a meeting of select council of the city of Allegheny on the fourteenth day of July, 1905, and was referred to committee on streets.

LAFAYETTE WILLS,
City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE—Vacating a portion of New Brighton road, Eleventh ward, from Shady avenue to Davis avenue, of a width of forty (40) feet, according to accompanying plan, and as herein described.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That a portion of the New Brighton road, Eleventh ward, from Shady avenue to Davis avenue, to and the same is hereby vacated of a width of forty (40) feet, according to accompanying plan. The center line thereof being described as follows: Beginning at a point where the center line of the New Brighton road intersects the west line of Shady avenue; thence along the center line of the New Brighton road a distance of two hundred sixty-two (262) feet, more or less, to the north line of Davis avenue.

The damages caused thereby and the damages caused by the grade thereof and the benefits to pay the same, if to be assessed and collected in accordance with the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

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PAT. POWERS SPOKEN OF AS THE NEXT NATIONAL LEAGUE PRESIDENT

REDS HAND THE GIANTS A GAME

Kelley's Men Run Bases Poorly and Make Errors Which Help New York to Win.

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Philadelphia	2	Chicago	1
St. Louis	1-6	Boston	0-5

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	68	26	.725	Cincinnati	46	46	.500
Pittsburgh	58	33	.637	St. Louis	35	59	.372
Philadelphia	53	37	.500	Boston	29	64	.312
Chicago	52	40	.565	Brooklyn	27	62	.303

GAMES TODAY.

Brooklyn at Exposition Park.
New York at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, July 30.—Poor base running kept down Cincinnati's score and bad fielding gave New York most of its runs. Attendance 15,960. Score:

Cincinnati.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Huggins, 2	0	0	1	7	0	Browne, r	0	1	2	0	0
Barry, 1	0	0	13	0	1	Donlin, m	1	2	6	1	1
Kelley, l	1	2	0	0	0	McGann, 1	2	2	9	0	0
Seymr, m	1	1	2	0	0	Mertes, l	1	2	2	1	0
Corcor'n, s	0	1	1	2	2	Dahlen, s	1	0	2	3	0
Odwell, r	0	1	1	1	0	Devlin, 3	1	1	0	2	0
Bridwell, 3	0	1	1	3	0	Strang, 2	0	2	0	6	1
Schlei, c	0	0	8	1	0	E'nahan, c	0	0	5	0	0
Ewing, p	0	1	0	3	0	M'Gin'ty, p	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	2	7	27	17	3	Totals	6	11	27	11	2

Cincinnati	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
New York	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	6

Two-base hits—McGinnity, Strang, Seymour. Three-base hit—Mertes. Double plays—Corcoran, Huggins and Barry; Mertes and Dahlen. First base on balls—Off Ewing 1, Sacrifice hit—Brown. Hit by pitcher—By McGinnity 1. Struck out—By Ewing 7, by McGinnity 3. Time—1:47. Umpires—Johnstone and O'Day.

Cardinals Win Double Header.

ST. LOUIS, July 30.—St. Louis won two games today from Boston, Brown and Willis pitched effectively in the first game, the only run being scored on Willis' wild pitch. Young was hit opportunely throughout the second contest. Attendance 12,500. Scores:

FIRST GAME.

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Dunle'vy, r	0	0	1	0	0	Abb'chio, s	0	0	2	2	0
Shannon, l	0	2	0	0	0	Fraser, l	0	0	6	0	0
Smoot, m	1	1	1	0	0	Dolan, r	0	0	1	1	0
Beckley, 1	0	0	11	2	0	Delehi'ty, 1	0	0	1	0	0
Arndt, 2	0	2	3	5	0	Cannell, m	0	1	2	0	0
McBride, s	0	0	1	5	0	Carpenter, 2	0	0	6	2	0
Burke, 3	0	1	0	4	1	Laut'b'n, 3	0	2	1	0	1
Leahy, c	0	1	7	1	0	Moran, c	0	2	4	2	0
Brown, p	0	0	1	3	0	Willis, p	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	1	5	27	15	1	Totals	0	5	24	9	1

St. Louis	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*—	1
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	0

Three-base hit—Lauterborn. Sacrifice hit—McBride. Double plays—Beckley, McBride and Beckley; Raymer and Abbatiechio. Stolen base—Shannon. Hit by pitched ball—By Brown, Raymer. Wild pitches—Willis 2. First base on balls—Off Brown 3. Struck out—By Brown 3, by Willis 3. Left on bases—St. Louis 3, Boston 5. Time—1:27. Umpire—Klem.

SECOND GAME.

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Dunle'vy, r	2	0	2	0	0	Abb'chio, s	1	1	1	4	0
Shannon, l	1	1	2	3	0	0	Fraser, 1	0	1	11	0	0
Smoot, m	0	0	1	0	0	Dolan, r	0	0	1	1	0
Beckley, 1	1	3	12	0	0	Delehi'ty, 1	1	2	1	1	0
Arndt, 2	1	1	2	2	0	Cannell, m	1	1	2	0	0
McBride, s	0	0	1	3	0	Raymer, 2	1	1	2	2	0
Burke, 3	0	0	2	3	0	Laut'b'n, 3	0	1	2	3	0
Grady, c	1	1	2	9	0	Moran, c	0	1	5	1	0
Taylor, p	0	1	0	1	0	Young, p	0	1	0	2	0
						*Willis	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	6	9	27	14	1	Totals	5	11	24	19	0

*Batted for Young in ninth.

St. Louis	2	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	*—	3
Boston	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0—	5

Two-base hits—Cannell, Fraser. Three-base hit—Grady. Double plays—Burke, Arndt and Beckley, 2. Stolen bases—Beckley 3, Taylor, Delehanty. Wild pitch—Taylor. First base on balls—Off Taylor 1, off Young 4. Struck out—By Taylor 3, by Young 6. Left on bases—St. Louis 5, Boston 4. Time—1:38. Umpire—Klem.

Cubs Loose Pitchers' Battle.

CHICAGO, July 30.—Today's game, a pitchers' battle, went to Philadelphia on Magee's base stealing and Doolin's fast work behind the bat, both of the latter's throws to second resulting in double plays. Doolin's wide throw, followed by a fly and two singles, gave the locals their one run. Attendance 14,000. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel'a.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Slagle, m	0	1	3	0	0	Kruger, m	0	0	2	0	0
Maloney, r	0	1	1	0	0	Gleason, 2	0	0	5	5	0
Schulte, l	0	0	4	0	0	Courtney, 3	0	1	1	2	0
Chance, 1	0	1	7	0	0	Titus, r	0	0	3	0	0
Tinker, s	0	0	3	3	0	Magee, l	1	2	1	2	0
Hoffman, 2	0	0	1	1	0	Bransfield, 1	0	0	7	1	0
Casey, 3	0	1	0	2	0	Doolin, s	0	0	4	3	2
Kling, c	0	0	6	2	0	Doolin, c	0	0	3	2	0
Briggs, p	0	0	1	0	1	Duggleby, p	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	0	4	27	7	0	Totals	2	4	27	13	2

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—	1
Philadelphia	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—	2

Left on bases—Chicago 3, Philadelphia 2. Two-base hit—Duggleby. Sacrifice hit—Kruger. Stolen bases—Magee 2, Doolin. Double plays—Doolin and Gleason; Doolin and Doolin; Courtney, Gleason and Bransfield. Struck out—By Briggs 3, by Duggleby 2. Bases on balls—Off Briggs 2, off Duggleby 3. Time—1:26. Umpire—Bausewine.

Wampum Defeats Crow A. C.

The Wampum A. C. of the South Side yesterday defeated the Crow team 11 to 4. Score:

Wampum.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Crow A. C.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Nold, c	2	2	3	2	0	Cooper, 3	1	0	2	2	0
Kelley, p	0	0	1	1	0	Day, 2	0	1	3	0	0
Pretti'e, s	2	3	0	5	2	Conroy, c	1	3	13	1	0
Schrie'r, 1	3	1	5	1	1	Stratton, 1	0	1	8	0	2
Dreidley, 2	2	2	4	1	0	Dickman, s	0	1	1	2	1
Huxley, 3	2	3	1	0	1	Lenard, r	0	0	0	0	1
Young, m	1	0	1	0	0	Phell, m-p	0	0	0	5	0
Carney, m	0	0	4	1	0	Maloney, l	1	0	0	0	0
Retz, r	1	0	0	0	0	Augle, p-m	1	1	0	1	1
Totals	11	10	25	12	4	Totals	4	7	27	11	5

*Two men out, hit with batted ball.

Wampum	3	1	2	0	0	0	4	6	0—	11
Crows	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0—	4

Kress Wins Another Game.

The Kress A. C. defeated the Muck Iron and Steel Company yesterday, 15 to 10. Score:

Kress A.C.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	M. I. & S. Co.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Wenzell, 2	2	1	3	3	0	Myers, 1	2	1	10	0	1
Frey, 1	2	2	9	1	1	L. Paquet, 3	1	1	2	1	1
A'bacher, s	1	0	1	6	1	G. M'Guire, 2	2	1	1	4	0
W. Smith, p	2	2	0	1	0	Zuloff, p	1	1	2	3	1
Kunkle, c	2	1	10	2	0	Mahler, l	1	1	1	0	0
Werner, r	1	2	0	1	0	Mack, s	1	1	1	4	0
Hafman, 1	2	2	2	0	1	Paquet, r	1	0	0	0	0
J. Smith, 3	1	2	2	3	2	M'Guire, m	1	0	2	0	1
Sproat, m	2	3	0	0	0	Berger, c	0	1	9	1	0
Totals	15	15	27	18	5	Totals	10	8	27	15	4

Kress A. C.	1	2	3	0	2	5	1	0	1—	15
M. I. & S. Co.	0	1	0	2	1	0	2	3	0—	10

Three-base hits—Wenzell, Mahler. Two-base hits—W. Smith, J. Smith, McGuire, Frey. Struck out—By Smith 9, by Zuloff 8. Bases on balls—Off Smith 7, of Zuloff 6. Hit by pitcher—W. Smith, Aulenbacher. Umpire—A. Wenzell. Time—1:50.

Home Run Wins Game.

The Humboldts defeated the Schirmers yesterday 12 to 11. The features was Knorr's two home runs and Ortleib's home run with the bases full. Score:

Humboldt.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Schirmer.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Miller, c	1	1	12	1	0	Hake, 1	2	1	1	0	0
Neil, p	1	2	0	2	0	Zoller, 2-m	1	0	0	1	1
W. S'man, s	0	1	0	0	4	Ortleib, s	1	3	2	6	0
Lea man, 3	0	0	0	2	1	0	Krohe, p	1	1	0	3	0
Reister, 2	1	1	0	3	2	0	Engel, 1	0	1	16	1	1
Mosier, m	2	1	2	0	2	0	Sch'r, m-2	1	0	0	0	0
L. S'man, r	2	1	1	0	0	0	Bellot, 3	1	1	0	1	0
Knorr, 1	3	2	10	1	0	Sohn, c	2	2	7	0	0
Bell, l	2	0	0	1	0	Reitzel, l	2	1	1	0	0
Totals	12	9	27	12	4	Totals	11	10	27	12	2

Humboldts	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	8	1—	12
Schirmer	0	0	4	3	1	3	0	0	0—	11

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THREE BROTHERS WHO ARE GOOD BALLPLAYERS

DAN RALEY
Right Fielder on the Piedmont, W. Va., Team.

JOHN RALEY
First Baseman on the Cumberland, Md., Team.

ROSS RALEY
First Baseman on the Piedmont Team.

The Raleys, who live at Bloomington, Md., are well-known players in the Cumberland league. Dan Raley is the oldest, and he is looked upon as one of the leading hitters in that league. He formerly played first base, but went to the outfield for Piedmont.

Ross Raley is the youngest, and he gives promise of developing into a faster player. He beat out a bunch of older players for the first bag at Piedmont last spring.

John Raley is one of the most popular players on the Cumberland team. He is a graceful fielder, and although a left-handed thrower, he can whip the ball around the lot hard and accurately. He has refused offers to leave Cumberland, some being from Tri-State league clubs. He is due for much faster company.

WAYNESBURG BY ONE SCORE

"Buckwheat" Jackson Allows But Two Hits, Yet Fairmont Loses Game by 1 to 0.

YOUNGSTOWN DROPS ONE

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

FAIRMONT, W. VA., July 30.—Fairmont was whitewashed by Waynesburg today on a wet and soggy field. Cannon's pitching was superb. Maurice Jackson allowed but two hits. The score:

Fairmont.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Waynesb'g.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Dawson, m	0	0	2	0	0	M. Mon'y, 2	0	1	5	4	0
Wharton, c	0	0	5	0	0	Ganicar, m	0	0	2	0	0
Willis, l	0	1	2	0	0	Gron'ger, s	0	0	1	2	0
Carpenter 2	0	2	1	4	0	Core, l	0	1	0	2	0
Connors, 1	0	0	14	0	0	Conaway, 1	0	1	8	1	1
Swarti'g, s	0	1	1	1	1	Cowen, 3	0	0	3	2	0
Luchter, r	0	0	0	0	0	Phillips, r	0	0	1	1	0
Snedden, 3	0	0	1	4	0	B. Mon'y, c	0	0	4	1	0
Jackson	0	0	0	3	0	Cannon, p	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	0	4	27	12	1	Totals	1	2	27	14	1

Fairmont	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	0
Waynesburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—	1

Sacrifice hit—Groninger. Two-base hits—Carpenter, Conaway, M. Montgomery. Struck out—By Jackson 4, by Cannon 3. Hit by pitched ball—Core. Umpires—Turner and Mullen. Time of game—1:20.

ZANESVILLE, O., July 30.—(Special.)—Youngstown, the Protective association leaders, were defeated 4 to 1 this afternoon, mainly through Elston's effective pitching. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Zanesville	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	*—	4	9	3
Youngstown	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0—	1	7	1

Batteries—Elston and Blue; Armstrong and O'Neil.

STEUBENVILLE, O., July 30.—(Special.)—Beaver Falls was defeated here this afternoon by Steubenville in a 10-inning game, 1 to 0. By order of the prosecuting attorney no more Sunday ball will be allowed in this county. Score today:

	R.	H.	E.
Steubenville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—	1	2	0
Beaver Falls	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	0	4	2

Batteries—Rarey and Campbell; Harvey and Bishop.

LANCASTER, O., July 30.—(Special.)—The Rushville (Ind.) team lost here today, 6 to 0. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Lancaster	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	*—	5	8	0
Rushville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	0	5	6

Batteries—Tomlin and Winter; Wagner and Campbell. Umpire—Price.

CENTRAL LEAGUE GAMES.

DAYTON, July 30.—Dayton defeated Wheeling in an interesting game today. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Dayton	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0—	6	14	4
Wheeling	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0—	2	9	2

Batteries—Wise and Hawkins; Kennedy, Miller and Schriver.

GRAND RAPIDS, July 30.—Morrissey of Grand Rapids, who went from first base home on a hit to shortstop in the tenth inning, scored the winning run for the locals today. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Grand Rapids	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1—	3	4	0
South Bend	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—	2	6	3

Batteries—Butler and Barber; Williams, Moffitt and Tieman.

CANTON, July 30.—Springfield won today's game by superior hitting. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Springfield	2	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	1—	7	11	2
Canton	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—	3	5	2

Batteries—Lundbloom and Shannon; Alberts and Sealis.

EVANSVILLE, July 30.—Asher out-pitched McCafferty and won the game for Terre Haute, 5 to 4. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Evansville	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0—	4	11	4
Terre Haute	1	0	2	0	0	0	4	1	0—	8	11	4

Batteries—McCafferty and Kelly; Asher and Harlow.

HART STILL HOLDS REINS.

President of Cubs Says He is Far from Being Out of Baseball.

CHICAGO, ILL., July 30.—(Special.)—James A. Hart, the president of the Cubs, said yesterday that he was a long way from being out of the baseball business. "I am still running the Chicago National league club," said Mr. Hart, "and will be the rest of this year, and unless I see the money for the transfer of the stock of the club I suppose I shall have to continue in the game next season.

"I announced a week ago that Charles W. Murphy had been made vice president of the club and would relieve me from part of the burden of responsibility, but after taking a short business trip out of the city I returned to find myself counted out. That is far from the facts. I am directing the affairs of the club and shall continue to do so, certainly, for the balance of this year and perhaps next season if the price of the stock is not forthcoming."

Nunnery Hill One Run Shy.

Nunnery Hill was defeated at Fair Haven yesterday. The features was the work of M. Gonghenry and Martin. The score:

F. Haven.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Nun. Hill.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
L'henry, 3	1	1	4	7	1	Thom'son, c	2	1	7	0	0
Hicks, 2	2	1	2	2	0	Martin, 1	3	3	10	3	1
Schaub, m	2	1	1	0	0	Johns, 2	1	1	0	6	1
L'henry, l	2	3	0	0	0	Milt, 3	0	1	3	1	2
Relland, c	2	0	9	0	0	McLain, l	1	1	2	4	0
Geiger, s	1	2	0	2	1	Donlin, s	0	2	4	6	0
Fulton, 1	0	1	14	0	2	Pfeiffer, r	2	1	0	0	1
B'muller, r	1	0	0	0	0	Dorsch, m	2	1	1	0	1
Bier, p	1	0	0	2	0	Miller, p	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	12	9	30	13	4	Totals	11	13	29	10	8

Fair Haven	3	2	1	3	0	1	0	0	1—	12
Nunnery Hill	0	5	0	0	4	0	0	2	0—	11

College Men Refuse Offer.

Glaze of Dartmouth, who held the Columbia batsmen hitless in a nine-inning game at Hanover this spring, and Skillen, a freshman pitcher in the same college, have refused offers from Jimmy Collins' Boston team to enter the American league. Glaze plays on the Dartmouth football team at end and is reputed to have more speed than any college pitcher except Schoenfuss of Harvard. John T. Keady, the Dartmouth football player who captained this year's baseball nine, has been engaged to coach the eleven of the Massachusetts Agricultural college this fall. Keady played in the back field at Dartmouth. He was on the baseball team for four years, playing first base.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	50	32	.610	New York	39	41	.488
Cleveland	48	35	.602	Boston	39	43	.476
Philadelphia	48	35	.578	St. Louis	32	52	.381
Detroit	42	42	.500	Washington	30	54	.357

GAMES TODAY.

St. Louis at Boston.
Cleveland at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Detroit at Washington.

ALL-INDEPENDENT TEAM IS PICKED BY COLLEGE PLAYERS

An All-Independent team is indeed very hard to pick. There are so many first class players on the different teams on the circuit that one must be exceedingly well cognizant of the ability and worth of the different players before he could assume to choose such a nine.

The Pittsburgh Collegians, while on their two weeks eastern trip, were waiting at a West Virginia hotel one morning for a train, and while passing away the time, one of the party brought up the subject of an All-Independent team. Every player appeared to have his favorites, but these men seemed to be in the most favor.

Catchers—Bob Westlake, Cumberland, and Ben. Montgomery, Waynesburg.

Pitchers—Cecil Armstrong, Youngstown; Andy Brookmiller, Braddock; Lefty Jackson, Fairmont; Frank Eastley, Homestead.

First Base—Mart Whitney, Youngstown.

Second Base—Herman Soffel, McKeesport, or Milt Montgomery, Waynesburg.

Shortstop—Charlie Starr, Youngstown.

Third Base—Billy Phyle, Youngstown.

Left Field—Hugh Tate, Cumberland.

Middle Field—Billy Maloney, Youngstown.

Right Field—Curley Blount, Youngstown.

When it came to choosing the pitchers there was much discussion. Marty Hogan of Youngstown had no opposition when it came to picking a manager from the independent ranks.

TRI-STATE LEAGUE NEWS

Something About the Leading Players of the Clubs Over the Circuit.

The release of Agnew by Wilmington has caused considerable dissatisfaction among the supporters of the game in that city, as he was a general favorite with them.

Lucas is expected to show up well as a pitcher, now that he is getting at home with the Wilmington fans and the team.

Lancaster worked a triple steal in last Tuesday's Harrisburg game. It is an extremely rare event.

In the second Harrisburg game last week Rothfus of Lancaster stole four bases, pretty nearly a record.

To fill the vacancy caused by the release of Manager Rinn of Lancaster, Outfielder Rothfus has been elected to the responsible position, and it is believed he will more than make good. He is also captain of the team. He has inaugurated a system of daily morning practice when the team is at home.

John (Kid) McCrane has established a record for jumping. After being suspended he returned to Coatesville last week and pitched a part of a game on Saturday. He left, and nothing was heard from him again until Wednesday, when he came to Coatesville and left that evening. It is supposed he went to the Independent league in Vermont, known among ball players as the "Millionaires'" league.

Williamsport claims the scorer at Coatesville stretched a point to give Jackson a no-hit, no-run game. Lush made a hit but was not credited with it.

Those in charge of Harrisburg A. C. business affairs have about concluded that the "penny wise, pound foolish" plan is not a good thing to bring the pennant to Harrisburg, and want it understood that they will not stand for any repetition of the indifference of a year ago.

Leary's absence during the past week put the senators in a bad plight, leaving them with Brackenridge and Campbell to do the work. Leary was at Boston at the bedside of his sick wife.

Calhoun has had several off days, owing to a bad heel. He is rounding up in his usual good form. He is hitting second in the batting order.

HARVARD COPIES YALE IDEAS.

Coach Reid Visits New Haven in Search of Information.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., July 30.—(Special.)—Harvard has been copying Yale football methods. Head Coach "Bill" Reid has been here and some of his agents have also come. They have got all the loose information they could take back to Cambridge, and they admitted that they intend to use it in the handling of the Harvard eleven the coming fall. Some of the things they have been anxious to get hold of have been the matters of bandaging and braces, straps and other paraphernalia of the gridiron which were invented at Yale and used here almost exclusively.

AMONG THE AMATEURS.

The Point View A. C. defies 11-year-old teams. Address George Naismith, 6300 Sawyer street, city.

The West View A. C. will go to Bellevue tomorrow evening to play the Bellevue Y. M. C. A.

The Hill Top Amateurs of Carnegie want a game for next Saturday. Write Francis Flood, 482 Frick building, Pittsburgh.

The Carson Midgets challenge the Francis A. C. and all other 8-year-old teams. Address James Seavey, 2411 Mary street, city.

Banksville defeated the Wrights in a 11-inning game, 9 to 8. The features were the batting of Carrick and the pitching of Dewald.

The Lone Star A. C. would like to hear from all 17-year-old teams having grounds. Write George H. Schamberg, 18 Mulberry alley, Pittsburgh.

The Colonial team of Allegheny will play Brown Thursday evening. For games address B. Stahl, corner Madison avenue and Perry street, Allegheny.

After three unsuccessful attempts to play a full game this season, the Y. M. C. C. Reserves defeated the Olympic Reserves Saturday at Brighton Park, 11 to 7.

The Pirate A. A. challenges all 15-year-old teams having grounds for next Sunday morning or afternoon. The Pirates have won 16 out of 18 games. Address Edward Werner, 79 Vista street, Allegheny.

The Gazette team plays the Pittsburgh Gauge and Supply Company's club this evening on the Braddock avenue grounds, Swissvale. Any good first-class amateur teams wanting twilight games during August call or address catcher, The Gazette.

This evening the Hamiltons will play the Dallas club on the Linden grounds. H. Beckett will be on the firing line for the Hamiltons, while either Smith or Gray will do the receiving. The manager requests his players to be on the grounds at 6:30 sharp.

The Victories are playing a fast game. Gettis, behind the bat, is playing a good game, while Smith and Roeder are pitching well. The infield, consisting of Wolf at first, Dessel at second, Ellis at short and Naser at third, is fast. O'Leary, Monheim and Must in the outfield are all good fly chasers. All good teams wanting twilight games for Wednesday and Thursday, address John A. Thompson, 1106 Lincoln avenue, East End, or call 9794 J Highland, 9 to 10 today.

WHEELING WANTS KENNOY

Central League Offer Turned Down by Him—Dawson to Join Albany.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs.	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Youngstown	62	42	20	.723
Akron	58	48	25	.632
Niles	58	26	24	.520
Braddock	52	19	13	.594
Zanesville	55	22	23	.582
Lancaster	50	26	24	.520
Homestead	46	23	22	.511
Newark	46	23	22	.500
Sharon	43	20	23	.465
Lancaster	46	21	25	.457
McKeesport	39	17	22	.436
Mt. Vernon	51	21	30	.412
Massillon	44	25	20	.391
Kent	6	0	6	.000

Johnie Welsh, the local southpaw, pitched good ball for Cumberland Friday, but errors helped to run up the score on him. The National leaguers did not find him an easy mark.

Wheeling wanted "Buck" Kennoy, the shortstop, but he refused to tie up with the Central leaguers. Kennoy played short under "Pop" Shriver, the Wheeling manager, at West Virginia University.

Harry Metz, the Allegheny boy who was playing the infield for the Lancaster (O.) team, is home ill. He will be in shape soon, and it is likely he will finish the season at home with some independent team.

Frank Moran, the McKeesport umpire, has a chance to work in the Eastern league.

Cy Dawson, who is playing good ball for Fairmont, will go to the Albany New York State League club next spring. Capt. Willig of the Fairmont team may return to the Southern league next season.

Jack Snedden, the former Grove City third baseman, is playing the best ball of his career at Fairmont. Homestead recently tried to have him jump.

Cy Voorhees, who is pitching again for Atlantic City, declares this is his last year in the game. He says he never was in better shape, but he will retire to go into business.

Otto Knabe, one of Osee Smythe's products on the Beltzhoovers, is putting up a rattling game for the Colorado Springs team in the Western league. Knabe is playing second base and hitting the ball hard and often and faraway.

Canonsburg is organizing an independent team. Pitcher Scrabbles Diebold is signing the players. Charlie Duffy is wanted to play first base.

Charlie De Moss is meeting with success with his Butler team. The team took a winning streak when De Moss was put in charge. One thing is certain, the team will play baseball under De Moss.

"Hans" Lobert, the Beltzhoover boy playing third base for Johnstown, has returned home to recuperate from a severe sprain of his right side, several ligaments being torn from the lower ribs. He was in a fair way to recover when he again injured himself.

Gleadon has the best record of the Tri-State pitchers. He has won 16 games for Johnstown without a single defeat.

Joe Martin of Altoona is playing a swell game at third for Johnstown in the absence of Lobert, who has been out of the game three weeks. "Red" Bowser, the Greensburg boy, is also playing great ball in the outfield.

McConnell, Melchoir, Bedel and Atherton of Johnstown have just finished a week of strenuous hitting. Their hits were in the main responsible for Johnstown's good showing on the recent trip.

Johnstown claims it will land another good pitcher early this week. It is reported that Good, the Leetsdale boy pitching for Johnstown, will join the New York Americans this week, but Good has not confirmed the rumor.

Polo League Organized.

WARREN, O., July 30.—(Special.)—At a meeting of skating rink managers of this district here today a permanent roller polo organization was effected by the election of the following officers: William Foor, president; F. L. Clark, Akron, first vice president; H. Reynolds, Youngstown, second vice president; H. R. Williams, Warren, secretary; H. D. Geblenger

CITY IS MAKING MANY CHANGES

Allegheny Streets Being Elevated and Depressed to Conform With Improvements.

TEMPORARY BRIDGES BUILT

A large force of men is changing the grade of Ohio street and Western avenue, Allegheny, near the Fort Wayne railroad tracks. This work is contingent upon the improvements being made by the railroad company along the route through Allegheny.

Several months ago councils passed ordinances authorizing changes of grade on Ohio street from Sherman avenue to the railroad bridge and on Western avenue from the bridge to Irwin avenue. Western avenue is to be relocated near the bridge, so that the curve that for years has made vehicle traffic dangerous can be straightened out. A large number of fatal accidents have occurred at this spot in the past decade.

Ohio street is to be raised two feet, and this will necessitate a change of level in Marion avenue at its intersection with Ohio street and Ridge avenue. Marion avenue is to be entirely repaved. The changes will also make necessary the elevation of parts of the west park, and Superintendent Hamilton will place a gang of his workmen at this job at once.

Work is to start within a short time on Federal street between Church avenue and Penn street. More than a year ago councils authorized a change of grade here in order that the little "hump" on Federal between the two-named streets could be removed. This contract was held up until work on the new Fort Wayne station could be started. The railroad company is going ahead and Director McIlvain has let the contract for the improvements on Federal street.

There has always been a slight elevation in Federal street between Church avenue and Penn street. Had the railroad tracks not been elevated and a bridge built across Federal street this small "hump" might never have been considered an obstacle to traffic. As it is now it leaves but little room between the street level and the overhead bridge for the passage of street cars and vehicles of any height. The depression of Federal and the elevation of Ohio street will be done without interruption to street car traffic.

The changes being made in other thoroughfares crossing the Pennsylvania tracks are more marked than those in Ohio and Federal streets. At North and Irwin avenues both streets have been closed up at grade. Huge temporary wooden bridges have been constructed over the railroad tracks at North avenue and Washington avenue. At the latter place the viaduct has approaches from Washington and Sedgwick streets on both sides of the tracks and a smaller elevated approach is being constructed from Franklin street and Allegheny avenue to join the Washington avenue bridge.

The railroad company has started work on its cement retaining walls from one end of Allegheny to the other. Between the Allegheny parks and the Fort Wayne shops the walls have been erected already to a height of several feet. Much of the work of this nature has been completed between Jacks run and the Woods run station. The vast yards surrounding the Fort Wayne railroad shops are being cleared, so that the elevation of parts of this territory can be commenced immediately.

BRADDOCKITES HAVE JOLLY TIME

Leading Citizens Take Their Families to Shades of the Ligonier Valley.

BUILD THEIR OWN CLUBHOUSE

The "Shady Park Club" is the name of an organization of prominent merchants of Braddock, who get but little out-of-door life. Desiring to obtain physical exercise and get plenty of fresh air at the same time, they formed the club and in doing this many interesting experiences have been had during the past two weeks.

Logan M. Laughner, a photographer of Braddock, was the instigator of the club. Other members are George Aull of Hissrich & Aull, merchant tailors; Richard Hissrich, of the same firm; Frank Spitzer, of Spitzer & Speidel, and John W. Shirer, a contractor. All the members have their place of residence in Shady Park, North Braddock borough.

Mr. Hissrich suggested that a trip to the mountains be taken for the summer, and Mr. Laughner concurred. He had an ideal location for camping out. For the past nine years Mr. Laughner has owned about a dozen acres of forest land on the Stahlstown turnpike, about a mile or two from Ligonier. Mr. Laughner said it would be a good idea to utilize the place for pleasure, and when other members of a euchre club to which Mr. Laughner belonged last winter heard of the scheme they were enthusiastic over the project. Then one of the members of the club decided that they could get the "physical culture" which all needed, and were unable to get during the strenuous winter season, by erecting a "club house," for the accommodation of their wives. The suggestion was promptly acted upon. Material was obtained from Ligonier, and the six members of the club went to work. In less than a fortnight they had the "club house" completed. It contains five bedrooms, each about 10x10 feet, one of them 8x12, and a club room 16x17, and a library. The house is fitted up with a gymnasium on a small scale, which is also used as a smoking room.

The women of the households of the members of the club, with their children, occupy the bedrooms, while the men of the club use two tents.

William J. Redman, past commander of Major A. M. Harper Post, 181, G. A. R. of Braddock, is manager of the club and camp. A part of his service in the civil war was spent in the commissary department, and he is said to manage things with a skillful and a careful hand.

Mr. Laughner says that the first day the camp was completed there were 18 guests to dinner, all unexpected, and most of them "just dropped in" from various parts of the valley, to welcome the newcomers. A couple of days later, the women of the party were amazed and overwhelmed by a visit of 11 Braddock people, and exactly 57 others, who "dropped in" at suppertime, all unannounced. They stayed to supper and completely cleaned out the larder. Next year, Mr. Laughner says, the club will build an addition to the club house twice its present size.

THREE MINISTERS SAY FAREWELL TO CHURCHES

Three ministers in Allegheny county yesterday preached farewell sermons to their congregations. The Rev. James T. Munford, pastor of the Lebanon Presbyterian church, declared his pulpit vacant, after resigning several months ago. The Rev. W. H. McLiveen of the Wylie avenue Baptist church, conducted his last service preparatory to going to Bethlehem congregation in Greene county. The Rev. Frank H. Farrington took leave of the Maple Avenue Baptist congregation to return to the theological seminary to finish his studies.

GET RELIEF FROM THE STRENUOUS LIFE

1—Manager William J. Redman as He Looks in Camp.

2—The Head Men of the Camp.

3—Richard Aull and a Young Visitor from Pittsburgh at One of the Springs in Camp.

FLEEING FROM PURSUERS, SEEKS REFUGE IN TUNNEL

Miner Wanted for Probably Fatal Assault Is Hunted Down by a Mob.

Henry Powel, aged 30, of Hazel Kirk, Washington county, was arrested yesterday afternoon on the Panhandle railroad, near the Fourth avenue tunnel, by Railroad Officers Seth Poland and J. D. Nauck. Powell, it is alleged, struck David McCann, also of Hazel Kirk, with a pick-handle at that place early yesterday morning, and McCann is now at the Mercy hospital in a dying condition from a fractured skull.

The men are mule drivers in mine No. 1 at Hazel Kirk. McCann boarded with Patrick Meehan. Shortly after midnight William Holloway got into a fight with a foreigner outside of Meehan's house. Powell, it is said, went out of the house, and, taking up a pickhandle, struck Holloway on the shoulder. Powell then started to assault everybody in sight, it is asserted, and as McCann went out of the house struck him across the forehead, crushing his skull, and fled.

William Askie, another boarder, and Meehan notified Chief of Police Logan of Monongahela, but when the officers arrived there was no trace of Powell.

Askie and Meehan turned their attention to McCann. A local physician examined his wounds and ordered him taken to a hospital. Askie and Meehan brought him to the hospital yesterday morning. They walked around the city, thinking they might encounter Powell. At Wod and Diamond streets Powell was having his shoes shined.

"Hello, what are you doing here?" asked Askie.

Powell jumped off his seat and ran. Askie and Meehan pursued him, and a number of men and boys joined the chase. Powell ran up Diamond to Smithfield street and along Second avenue to Try street. There he turned down the Panhandle railroad tracks toward the tunnel. Officers Poland and Nauck were standing at the Try street crossing, and when they saw the crowd coming they pursued Powell. Poland caught Powell as he was entering the tunnel. He was taken to the station house and Chief of Police Logan notified of his arrest.

Wabash in Youngstown.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., July 30.—(Special.)—Recent mysterious deals in local real estate circles have given rise to the rumor that the Wabash is trying to secure a right of way into the city. It is believed that the Wabash is buying property on the south side to obtain a right of way parallel with the new line of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

WESTINGHOUSE POWER FOR THE WHOLE WORLD

All Portions of the Globe Look to Pittsburgh Concern for Electrical Equipment.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, July 30.—The Westinghouse interests have within the past few days received various interesting Irish, South African and South American contracts. An important California contract for electrical equipment has also been received.

The Irish contract, which was allotted to the British Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, Limited, calls for a big lot of three-phase apparatus for the Fort William park sub-stations of the Cave Hill and Whitewall municipal electric traction system at Belfast.

The South African contract, which was also secured by the British Westinghouse company, is for different apparatus for both the Johannesburg and Durban corporation electric traction and lighting systems.

The South American contract was awarded to the Pittsburgh Westinghouse company direct through the New York house of Lidgerwood & Co., which concern represents the Westinghouse people in Brazil. It requisitions for the complete electrical equipment of a large hydro-electric power plant to be constructed at the Falls of Itu, Southern Brazil.

The Australian electric engineering and contracting firm of Noyes Brothers, which takes care of the Westinghouse business in the antipodes, has captured the contract worth about $800,000 for the construction and equipment of the North Melbourne, Essendon and Fleming electric traction lines. The contract also includes the electric lighting of these Victorian cities.

Westinghouse equipment has also been contracted for the Eel River Power and Irrigation Company of California. This company is to construct a big power plant in the Potter Valley about 20 miles northeast of Ukiah. Two thousand kilowatt three-phase 60 cycle generators have so far been ordered and Westinghouse transformers necessary for a 50,000-volt transmission line have also been requisitioned for.

TRY OUR METHODS AGAINST GERMANY

Head of British Building Company Urges the Adoption of American Business Tactics.

(Special Letter to The Gazette.)

LONDON, July 21.—Hidden away in an annual report recently made to the shareholders of Waring & Gillow, Limited, I happened on some rather surprising admissions. It was flatly declared that American methods in the construction of buildings in London have proved superior to those of any other country, including England. This firm is taking a foremost part in the rebuilding of London, having erected the new and imposing headquarters of the International Mercantile Marine Company, and being now engaged in putting up the Ritz hotel in Piccadilly.

Questioned on the above subject, Mr. Waring, the head of the firm, said: "Yes, we have finally come to the conclusion, perhaps somewhat unwillingly, that Americans are better builders than we are. Heretofore we have believed that you erected your buildings too quickly, but you have taught us that a substantial structure can be put up rapidly. The American does it because of his genius for management. Our chief heads of department are now Americans, and by their inventiveness and experience they get a third more labor out of the English workman than we ever did. We consider this a critical moment in the history of British trade, and the world has never yet experienced such a fight for commercial supremacy. Our two great rivals, America and Germany, have presented great difficulties to British enterprise, but we have disposed of America by adopting her system of direction of action, her nervous force, her ability for reducing the factor of labor to a minimum in every direction and her insatiable ambition to effect the greatest possible result.

"Germany has entered the international building contest with structural iron material with keen intellectual ability, patient and progressive labor, capacity to organize and standardize, cohesion of effort in order to effect great ends, and above all, alertness in adapting her manufactures to the requirements of her customers. We have, however, the benefit of a great start in the field. With continued co-operation of English and American capital and brains we should not fear German competition within the British isles. The rivalry is healthy and an additional incentive to greater effort.

"There are too many handicaps in Great Britain, largely of a legal character, to quick construction, but here again we have used the American way. We construct first and talk about it afterward—in the courts if necessary. We are quite equal to the United States in manufacturing structural material quickly and cheaply and now we have solved the question of supervision and labor along American lines."

CHAUTAUQUA

CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y., July 30.—(Special.)—Rainy days at summer resorts are not things to be desired, but a rainy Sunday, with no boating nor bathing, no tennis, nor golf nor any of the everyday amusements to take up the time, usually causes restlessness and discontent, but today was a delightful Sunday, despite the rain, which did not materially affect the size of the audience that assembled to hear Dr. S. Parkes Cadman of Brooklyn, N. Y., who preached to more than 6,000 people and was distinctly heard by the hundred or more who stood on the outside until the rain forced them to seek shelter elsewhere.

Dr. G. Stanley Hall made an address at the early morning service on "The Positive Teachings of Jesus."

Religious services were held in the various denominational houses, the Rev. J. H. Clemens of Ridgeway, Pa., conducting the services at the Methodist house; the Rev. S. P. Long of Mansfield, O., at the Lutheran house, and the Rev. Dr. George Tanner, of Fairbault, Minn., at the Chapel of the Good Shepherd.

The Rev. T. R. Thoburn of Oil City made the address at the assembly convocation, one of Chautauqua's most popular speakers, who arrived yesterday.

Dr. Samuel C. Schmucker addressed the Christian Ethics meeting for young people. Many of Dr. Schmucker's admirers were prohibited from hearing the address, as no person over 21 years was admitted.

On account of the rain the open air meetings were conducted in doors. Miss M. Chartney of Beaver Falls talked at the women's meeting on "A Vision That Brings Consecration."

At the sacred song service, always the best attended service of the day, Sir John Stainer's cantata, "The Crucifixion" was sung by the choir and soloists.

Each Sunday brings many men from the cities who take advantage of the low railroad rates to spend Sunday with their families.

Last evening there were many anxious people at Chautauqua who had relatives and friends on the train which should have arrived at Mayville at 6:45 p. m., but on account of the washout on the Valley road near Spartansburg, did not reach Mayville until 6 p. m. Sunday. Among the Pittsburghers on the delayed train were W. W. McCandless, Sr., manager of the Pittsburgh clearing house; A. W. Wilson, George Applegate of Sewickley and Mr. Hubbard of Bellevue.

ROBBINS' REPORT REFUTES CRITICS

Justification Is Offered for Action of Directors of Pittsburgh Coal Company.

A TRADE JOURNAL REPLIES

The regular monthly meeting of the Pittsburgh Coal Company will be held tomorrow, when the vaporings of the critics of its management will be at once disclosed. President F. L. Robbins will present his annual report and in it he is expected to speak in justification of the board of directors in passing the dividend at their recent meeting. It is declared that the criticism of the directors came from competitors and speculators who had been selling Pittsburgh coal short on the stock exchange.

The "Coal Trade Bulletin," the organ of the operators, will say editorially in its issue tomorrow:

What may be mildly termed uncalled-for criticism by disgruntled marplots of Pittsburg Coal Company stock is brought to its quietus by a single statement which The Coal Trade Bulletin makes on absolutely reliable authority. Referring to the much-discussed contract of the company to supply the United States Steel Corporation we are enabled to affirm that the direct profits from supplying the steel corporation's mills, railroads, lake freighters and other requirements with their fuel supply are sufficient in themselves to take care of the Pittsburgh Coal Company's bond interests. The contract is on a profitable basis. Beyond this it is patent that so gigantic a contract has a remarkably steadying effect and enables the company to produce its coal at a minimum cost. In mining it is the volume and the steadiness in the operation of the plants that counts in the production cost per ton.

Can Easily Meet Bond Interest.

Apart from the steel corporation contract revenue, the Pittsburgh Coal Company, through its Hocking Valley properties, priceless docking and distributing facilities on the lower and upper lakes, its railway lines and thousands of railway cars, its farms, surface land ownership, etc., has a legitimate income more than sufficient to meet bond interests. This leaves entirely out of consideration profits from the operation of the company's mines in the Pittsburgh district. Over its lake docks the Pittsburgh Coal Company handles the coal from all fields that supply the Northwest territory, including anthracite, Pocahontas, West Virginia, Hocking and other coals.

These facilities, together with other sources of revenue mentioned, outside of the company's tremendous contracts with the steel corporation and large railway consumers, are therefore alone the means of meeting all fixed charges regardless of whether or not coal is being sold at prices above the cost of production or there any other concern in the Pittsburgh district or any other field of which this could be said?

One of the great resources possessed by the Pittsburgh Coal Company, which has been lost sight of for the time being, is its 8,000-acre coking coal tract along the Redstone branch of the Monongahela, division of the Pennsylvania railroad. The company is only developing this tract to feed something upward of 600 ovens. Immensely valuable for coking purposes this tract does not begin to be delved into for so trifling a group of ovens. With this contract the company may either become a strong factor as a coke producer or the coal may pass out of its hands at a sound profit to such an interest as the steel corporation, the management of which would be glad to entrench its coking coal possessions and operations in the Connellsville region.

Fuel Demand Increasing.

The Pittsburgh district is a natural market for a gigantic bulk of coal in the more than 150,000 acres referred to. Consumption in this district must of necessity greatly increase in the near future and from year to year for endless decades. The gas supply is waning. It must now be brought from distant fields. Almost yearly its cost must be increased, destining its price to soon reach so prohibitive a figure that it will no longer be feasible to utilize it as an economical fuel for our mills and factories and domestic use as well. The Pittsburgh coal field is the district's natural fuel supply and values are bound to grow and grow year by year.

The directors in the Pittsburgh Coal Company have in our judgment acted most wisely in retaining in its treasury the earnings in excess of requirements for bond interests and other fixed charges, thus actually strengthening the financial condition of the company in an off year instead of depleting its treasury by the payment of dividends drawn in part from previous years' earnings; and thus by conservatism at this time bringing the company nearer the full realization of its geographical and other natural advantages. Competitors freely assert and none will gainsay that the company stands today with the greatest resources and prospects of any bituminous producer in the world.

MISSION STREET BRIDGE BUILT TO GET VOTES

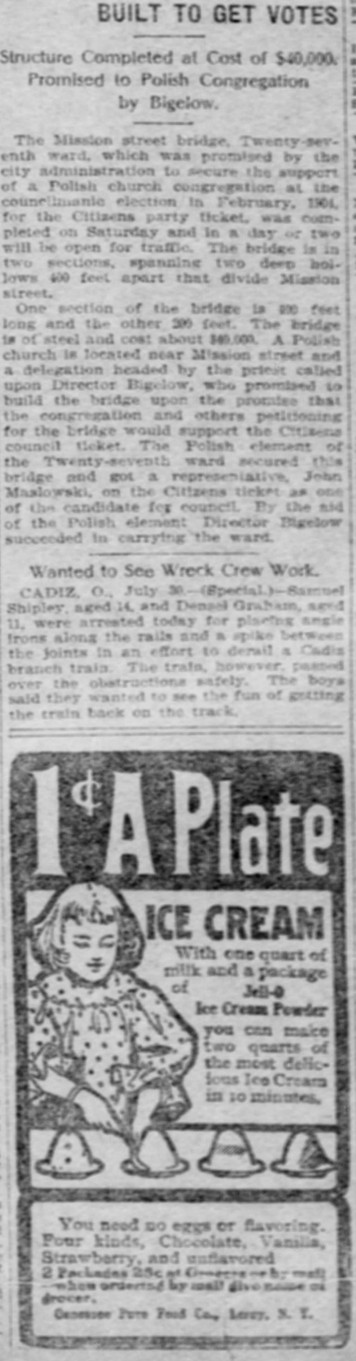
Structure Completed at Cost of $40,000, Promised to Polish Congregation by Bigelow.

The Mission street bridge, Twenty-seventh ward, which was promised by the city administration to secure the support of a Polish church congregation at the councilmanic election in February, 1904, for the Citizens party ticket, was completed on Saturday and in a day or two will be open for traffic. The bridge is in two sections, spanning two deep hollows 400 feet apart that divide Mission street.

One section of the bridge is 200 feet long and the other 200 feet. The bridge is of steel and cost about $40,000. A Polish church is located near Mission street and a delegation headed by the priest called upon Director Bigelow, who promised to build the bridge upon the promise that the congregation and others petitioning for the bridge would support the Citizens council ticket. The Polish element of the Twenty-seventh ward secured this bridge and got a representative, John Maslowski, on the Citizens ticket as one of the candidate for council. By the aid of the Polish element Director Bigelow succeeded in carrying the ward.

Wanted to See Wreck Crew Work.

CADIZ, O., July 30.—(Special.)—Samuel Shipley, aged 14, and Denzel Graham, aged 11, were arrested today for placing angle irons along the rails and a spike between the joints in an effort to derail a Cadiz branch train. The train, however, passed over the obstructions safely. The boys said they wanted to see the fun of getting the train back on the track.



Doings at Atlantic City

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 30.—(Special.)—A heavy surf that carried Miss Carrie Prescott beyond her depth close to the Auditorium pier, about noon, gave W. H. Diccus, a Pittsburgh youth, and Jason Mathay, a young Philadelphia lawyer, opportunity to display their bravery and presence of mind. The girl was hit by a big breaker and was nearly drowned when the two men swam out to her and brought her back to the beach, where she soon recovered sufficiently to thank her rescuers, who also received an ovation from the bathers in the vicinity.

A shapely young matron, who turned out in a brown bathing suit, attracted the attention of the guards by the shortness of her skirt, hardly more than a good-sized ruffle. Before the rather shocked officials could inform the lady of the breach of decorum that was attracting the attention of the male contingent, her husband appeared on the scene and abruptly ordered his spouse back to her bath house, with orders to stay there until she could let out a foot or so of hem. The incident closed with the principals in the little comedy refusing their names to an anxious public.

Brown was evidently an unlucky color for bathing togs today, for a colored lady who showed her temerity by appearing in the surf close to a bevy of fair maids, was hustled out into the breakers by the girls' escorts and thoroughly ducked before the gathering crowd had called the lifeguards by their loud guffaws. The men in the case escaped while the buxom colored damsel was being brought to shore and pumped clear of salt water.

The Rev. William Laurie, an evangelist, touched the sympathies of the crowd this morning and preached from gospel texts drawn in the sand to the thousands of frivolous ones, who heard him through respectfully. The man's very earnestness as he outlined the letters of biblical quotations in smooth stretches of sand, earned the considerations of the roystering bathers, and drew probably the largest and most cosmopolitan crowd of listeners ever preached to in Atlantic City.

The Misses Bradley of Pittsburgh, sisters of Mrs. A. J. Drexel Biddle of Philadelphia, were with Mr. and Mrs. Biddle in the former's big new car "Laiddown," on its initial trip to the shore. The party came down in a parlor car while the machine made the remainder of the journey by freight. Judgment on the merits of the car has been suspended until completion of the return trip, started from the Garden hotel this afternoon. W. C. Magee, of Pittsburgh, was on the boardwalk today.

Third Assistant Postmaster General Edward C. Madden was on the boardwalk today. He is here visiting his family at the Carlton. Miss Lena Schwartz and Miss Rebecca Schwartz of Rochester, Pa., arrived at the Berkeley in time to turn out in the fashionable show this morning, and Miss Grace Woodruff, a charming Pittsburgh visitor, was on promenade with Mrs. Kate Gaulbert, who is with her at the Dennis. Mrs. W. Martin Johnson, a leader in Pittsburgh society, arrived at the Brighton to visit her sister, Mrs. MacRoy Jackson. J. T. Canfield, Esq., a Shenandoah lawyer, was on the boardwalk today and Mrs. O. J. MacDonald and Mrs. Dean, well known in Shenandoah society, watched the show of costumes from one of the piers. Mrs. Alice Ardary of Pittsburgh was accompanied by a party of friends whom she is visiting at the Traymore. President McAfee of one of the big glass manufacturing companies of Pittsburgh is here attending a conference of glass men, and J. L. Geraghty, head of a big Pittsburgh department store, is enjoying a vacation at the Marlborough. Henry G. O'Brien is visiting the Westminster with Mrs. O'Brien and their two pretty daughters.

Other Pittsburgh visitors noted on the registers today were:

Maryland—J. C. Mundy, W. E. Pitt, Mrs. Pitt.

Morris—F. Miller, R. Dunn, W. Hinkel, J. H. Goodwin, S. P. Goldstein, Mrs. Goldstein, A. J. Cake.

Shelburne—J. G. Thurson, M. F. Hill.

Stickney—C. H. Cook of Allegheny, Mrs. A. B. Morrison, J. C. Smith, Mrs. Smith.

Berkeley—G. W. I. Rawlings of Cumberland, A. D. Taggart, Mrs. Taggart, Master Taggart, J. F. Graham, Mrs. Graham, S. C. McGarvey, V. P. McCrane, C. F. Knolan, Mrs. Knolan, J. Martin, G. Weber, Miss H. Weber, Mrs. E. Weber, R. W. Shill, Mrs. Shill, Master Shill, C. A. Adler, Mrs. Adler, Master Adler, Miss B. Martin, Miss A. Martin, Miss M. Martin, A. B. Borbin, Miss B. Borbin, Master F. Sleney, Miss M. Frody, A. M. Galbreath, Miss E. Miller.

Avoca—Mrs. D. Coll, Miss B. M. Coll, Johnstown.

Adolphus—P. J. Carr, Mrs. Carr, C. Cavett, Mrs. Cavett, J. Bersdorf, Mrs. Bersdorf.

Strathhaven—J. H. Fisher, C. W. Mickley, Mrs. Mickley.

Beechwood—C. B. Conley, Mrs. W. B. Gearhart.

New Holland—A. W. Leech, Mrs. Leech, Miss Irene McLaughlin, Miss Mae McLaughlin, C. H. Weber.

Netherland—E. E. Beddoe, Mrs. Beddoe, H. B. Genoe.

Traymore—Mrs. A. W. Arday, J. Green, Mrs. Green.

New Clarion—R. N. Whister, W. Whister, H. Whister.

Normandie—Mrs. J. Redding, Mrs. M. J. Kelly, Miss J. Smith, P. E. Selbei, R. B. McMillen, Mrs. R. B. Russell.

Osborne—C. J. Thompson, N. J. Mulgrave, Mrs. Mulgrave, M. Steppel.

Carlton—T. H. Faris, N. T. Harrison.

Worthington—A. J. Girard, G. Smith, Brady—Mrs. R. Miller, Mrs. J. Miller of Allegheny, A. E. Kelly.

Breevoort—Thomas P. Graffith, Miss Dora Leonard.

Agnew—Miss Hannah Gill, Miss Gertrude Gill.

New England—Miss M. Faeder, Mrs. M. L. Zaller.

Belden—L. Greenwalt, M. L. Wilson, L. B. McCutcheon.

Greens—C. G. Patterson, Mrs. Patterson, E. G. Conover.

Royal Palace—H. Berg, R. E. Burk, Miss R. Cohn.

Earl Mar Hall—Mrs. L. Dunham, Mrs. H. J. Dunham.

Youngs—J. W. Ralston, A. J. Wilkinson, W. E. Chilton, P. W. Chilton.

Elwood—J. O'Neill, Mrs. O'Neill, K. O'Neill.

Bingham—C. J. Thompson, Miss Larkin, W. G. Post.

Chester Inn—E. W. Bailey, E. Dampman, M. Dampman, J. Dampman, Mrs. R. E. Dampman, LaRue Dampman of Johnstown, Mrs. H. B. Sheaver, Mrs. J. E. Price.

Tabor Inn—N. Fanberg, Miss J. Carr, Mrs. W. W. Allen, Mrs. R. E. Anderson.

Loraine—Mrs. E. W. McSweeney, Miss McSweeney.

Raleigh—Miss M. Kerrigan, Mrs. T. Kerrigan, L. Kerrigan.

Grand Atlantic—Mrs. H. Murphy, B. S. Murphy, M. Murphy, Miss M. Murphy, William C. McCarthy.

Islesworth—S. Bodine, H. C. Harry, T. A. Kizer.

THROWN FROM CAR DOOR.

Cleveland Man, Riding in Baggage, Falls to His Death from Fast Running Train.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., July 30.—(Special.)—Stephen Simpson of Grand street, Cleveland, fell from the open door of a baggage car of an Erie passenger train this afternoon, near Hiram, and received injuries which caused his death at 6:45 this evening. He was seated on a milk can at the open door of the car and while the train was running 50 miles an hour he was hurled from the open doorway of the car. The train was stopped and it was found that the man was still alive. He was brought to this city and taken to the city hospital, where he died.

FATAL SPOT FOR GUNTERS.

Two of Family Have Been Killed, and One Crippled for Life in the Past Ten Years.

GREENVILLE, PA., July 30.—(Special.)—James Gunter, aged 20 years, was killed on the Pennsylvania tracks some time Saturday night within a short distance of his home. When discovered at 6 o'clock this morning the body had been run over by several trains and was so badly mangled that identity had to be established by bits of the torn clothing.

A brother was killed at almost the same spot 10 years ago and within a short distance a sister was struck by a train and made an invalid for life.

Operations Slump Because of Scarcity of Producing Territory

Development work in the lower southwest fields during the past week was uneventful. The usual number of wells were completed in the old districts and the results were about the same as has marked the progress of the drill for so many months. The failure to find new producing territory is making an impression on field work and shows a marked falling off in new production. There is considerable territory that has not been closely drilled, but the size of the wells that it could furnish would be so small that operators are not inclined to drill it on this market. Some of the largest producing companies have discontinued development work and are giving all of their time to keeping the old wells producing rather than to drill new and get small pumpers or dusters.

The first half of the year slipped by without the discovery of any new pools of any consequence, and the prospects are no brighter for the last half. The market being much lower the incentive to keep up the search is greatly diminished and even at this time the record would be more disparaging if the gas companies were less aggressive. This is true in particular of the deep sand districts, where the gas companies are looking for their supply for the coming winter. Hundreds of wells have been drilled by these companies during the year and it is quite remarkable that they have not during that time discovered some oil pools.

Lewis and Harrison counties have been the two that have received the most attention, but no new pools have been encountered in the search for gas. An abundance of the latter has been found to meet the demands for the coming winter, and some of the companies that have experienced a shortage in the past will be well prepared for any emergency for some time to come. Nearly all of the larger companies that have lines extending into West Virginia have large wells shut in awaiting an increased demand. The Hope, the Philadelphia Company, the Carnegie Natural Gas Company and the Manufacturers' Light and Heat Company and its affiliated branches are the principal ones that look to West Virginia for their supply.

Development work in the Yellow Creek field, Calhoun county, is still the most fruitful in good producers of any of the lower southwest fields. If there were more such fields there would be greater activity. During the week a half dozen wells were drilled in, the smallest producer showing a production of 20 and the largest 125 barrels a day. This is Berea grit territory and can be operated at less expense than the deep sand districts. Though the average size of the wells was less there would be no decline in development work. To the northeast is the busy part of the field, and it will be some time before the recently discovered extension has been drilled over.

Operators are not fully convinced that Calhoun county has no other pools aside from the Yellow Creek and Rowells Run developments. Within the past two weeks three test wells have been started far in advance of present production. One is located three miles to the southeast and one the same distance to the southwest, and another to the east. Calhoun county has come the nearest to maintaining production of any field in the lower southwest during the year. It bring able to [illegible] without the assistance of any gushers [illegible] the more remarkable. One favorable feature of the wells is their good staying qualities.

There is a slight improvement in new work in the shallow sand districts in other counties. A few good producers in Pleasants county during the month have stimulated a little activity and placed the average production of the completions a little higher than has been the rule. Along the river front in Wood county there is still some operations, but the wells are small and not of the kind that hold out inducements for renewed activity.

The Wick district, in Tyler county, still furnishes some good wells and of late there has been some prospecting in advance of the old developments that have stimulated new work. Some of the old wells are still very creditable producers.

Southeastern Ohio has several new pools that look promising. The Berea grit development on Wells creek, north of Steubenville, Jefferson county, looks good. During the week a 75-barrel producer was completed on the W. P. Black farm, making the sixth producer on that farm, and the tenth in the pool. The production of the pool is now between 300 and 400 barrels a day and the chances are favorable for increasing the output. There is quite a fair showing of new work starting and it will no doubt be increased. The high bonus asked for leases has kept out operators.

In Guernsey county the new development, near Oak Grove, is not coming up to expectations. During the week a very light pumper was completed in close proximity to the good producer on the Hibbs farm. At this time there are three test wells drilling and starting in the district.

Near Harriettsville, Noble county, there is an increase in development work. In this new development an occasional good producer is found and has encouraged the starting of considerable new work. Some oil is found in the stray and Buells run sands.

In Monroe county, south of Graysville, there is very good prospects for the development of a Berea grit pool. The producer completed some time since on the Gray farm is still holding up at 15 barrels a day. North and west of Homeworth, in Columbiana county, there is some new work starting, however, the late completions in that district have not been of the kind to arouse any enthusiasm.

The only attraction in the local fields is the Pittsburgh Rose and Carnation Company's producer on the Crystal farm, west of the Bakerstown tunnel in Allegheny county. When first shot the well failed to respond, but later started to flow and has since been producing 75 barrels a day with great regularity. The late showing has created a demand for leases and there is now some new work starting. The drilling down of some of the old wells, formerly producers in the upper sand, has begun, and the outlook for some active development work is assured.

Pennsylvania Railroad Announces Their Fourth Excursion to the Seashore on August 10th.

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WHEELMEN, blacksmith helper, boilermaker; also helpers, brick burner, laborers. STAR BUREAU, 120 Sixth st.

WANTED—A good hustler to sell our celebrated teas, coffees, spices, extracts, baking powder, etc.; Liberal commission. Apply or write Grand Union Tea Co., 619 Federal st., Allegheny, Pa.

YOUNG MEN to act as salesmen. Schoener & Co., 295 Federal st., Allegheny.

YOUNG men who desire good positions as salesmen see Mr. Schoener, 295 Federal st., 2d floor, Allegheny.

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WANTED—FARMS. I have customers wanting farms; if you have one for sale send description and terms. Want them in reach of good town or village. I. W. Brewster, Real Estate Broker, Wilkinsburg Bank Building, Wilkinsburg, Pa.

Miscellaneous.

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FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

City and Suburban.

CHAUNCEY ST., 9—One unfurnished room, water; $ month; 10 minutes' walk to courthouse.

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City and Suburban.

BELVA AVE., 213, Avalon, Pa.—Furnished or unfurnished rooms.

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East End.

BENNETT ST., 7127—Large newly furnished front room, near two car lines and Homewood station.

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To be let—At 502 Island ave., near Bradley st., McKees Rocks, flats of 3 rooms and bath, with all conveniences, $11 a month; in rear of 502 Island ave., two 2-story frame dwellings of 4 rooms, $9 each.

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Ten-roomed frame house; modern in every respect; $35 per month.

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PARTICULARLY DESIRABLE APARTMENTS.

Princeton place, 4 rooms, modern conveniences, steam heat and hot water furnished free; very convenient neighborhood; five minutes' walk of East Liberty station and several different street car lines, $25.

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Apartment of 5 rooms and bath, with front and rear porches, convenient to Allegheny parks in the "Dakota" and "Pacoma" apartments, 1120 to 1122 Allegheny ave., Allegheny.

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83 ACRES, Ashtabula county, O., 5 miles from county seat, good house of 8 rooms, new barn, black loam soil, fruit, 15 acres timber; price only $2,200.

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WANTED—Chickens; April hatched pullets, either Barred Rocks, Silver Wyandottes or Rhode Island Reds; state price and age to M 34, Gazette.

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$380 UPRIGHT PIANO, fine tone quality, responsive action, neat case design, for $133. See this bargain if you want a good used piano at a small outlay. Easy terms if desired. Hoffmann, 537 Smithfield st.

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$65 WHITE SEWING MACHINE,
Almost New.
WILL SELL FOR $15.

Call at New House, corner Rolfe and Buena Vista sts., Allegheny.

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OLD DIARY TELLS ROMANTIC STORY

The Late William K. Nimick's Account of Gunboat Building in Pittsburgh.

PAPER IS JUST DISCOVERED

Pittsburgh's pride in her contributions to the American navy finds a new stimulus in the recently-discovered diary of the late William K. Nimick, assistant quartermaster general in this city during the Civil war. Under the direction of Mr. Nimick four war vessels were constructed on the Monongahela wharf in the spring of 1862, and in a carefully chronicled journal Mr. Nimick has left an interesting account of the strenuous task of converting shallow steamboats into craft capable of carrying naval armament for use against Confederate forts and the formidable warships of the Mississippi.

Mr. Nimick died 30 years ago and his diary has but recently come to light among other interesting documents in the family archives preserved by his son, F. B. Nimick. The journal will be especially interesting to those patriotic Pittsburghers who hope some day to see a fine modern armored cruiser christened in honor of their native city. It is here that some of the earliest of American naval sailing sloops were launched, and from Pittsburgh mills was taken the finished material which was transported overland to Lake Erie to be converted into the Michigan, still in commission and famous as the first iron warship to be propelled by steam power.

At the outbreak of the Civil war the Confederates promptly fortified the banks of the Mississippi, the Tennessee and the Cumberland rivers against their invaders and made their strongholds still more tenable with a strong flotilla of gunboats on the Misaissippi. The Federal government was left in sore straights against its antagonist, and resorted to every makeshift to get boats with which to dislodge the Confederate fleet and the garrisons manning the forts on the banks of the river.

Early Gunboat Trials.

Shortly after the outbreak of hostilities Capt. Eads, at St. Louis, was commissioned to build several large gunboats and in the winter of 1861-62 when Gen. Grant led the vanguard of the invading Union army out of Cairo, Ill., Commodore Foote had command of a strong fleet. He smashed Ft. Henry with a few shots and made such short work of his bombardment that the garrison managed to escape before Grant's army could cut off the escape of the soldiers in gray. At Ft. Donaldson the work of the gunboats was not so brilliant, and when the fortifications on the Mississippi were attacked some time later, there was evidence of a pressing need for more boats.

At this time the war department decided to add Pittsburgh to its list of ship yards and in March, 1862, Mr. Nimick was appointed assistant quartermaster general upon the recommendation of the Pittsburgh board of trade. Mr. Nimick's duties primarily were to superintend the alteration of river steamboats into rams and gunboats. A few days before the new assistant quartermaster general received his appointment, the whole world was electrified by the memorable victory of the Monitor over the Merrimac in Hampton Roads. The iron-clad craft from that date had the call. It marked the inception of that class of vessels which, in the succeeding 40 years, developed into the modern armored warship which has revolutionized the entire art of naval warfare.

Mr. Nimick was one of Pittsburgh's most prominent iron manufacturers and his knowledge of engineering and practical mechanics stood him in good stead for the work he was called upon to execute. The very day he received his appointment he bought the paddle-wheel steamer Mingo, which was swinging beside the Monongahela wharf, and forthwith commenced converting her into a rifle-proof ram. The Mingo was a boat of less than 1,000 tons, and as she stood was little calculated for a fighting craft. Nevertheless, in six weeks she was transformed into an important addition to the Federal upper Mississippi flotilla, was armed with eight guns and in the operations against the Confederates gave a good account of herself. Subsequently three other boats were built up into fighting craft. After the war they were sold or broken up. Against modern guns they would be useless and a single shot from a piece of the new standard field artillery could blow the Mingo or her sister ships out of the water.

Candle Light Is Used.

In Mr. Nimick's diary he tells an interesting story of the building of the rams. Not a single detail is overlooked. It was found necessary to work at night and he mentions the boxes of candles which were purchased for illumination. (There were no arc lights in those days.) The names of many prominent Pittsburgh families are mentioned.

In extracts from the diary which are printed below many items and details which Mr. Nimick has set down are omitted, but enough remains to give a connected running account of the work he accomplished. Mr. Nimick's diary is remarkably free from the pronoun in the first person, and he eliminated many words in order to make his sentences brief. The first entry was made on Friday, March 28, 1862, when the Mingo was bought. On May 17 the last boat left and the wharf was cleared up. There the journal closes. The extracts follow:

Friday, March 28, 1862:

Was notified by J. K. Moorhead that the war department had, in accordance with a recommendation of the board of trade, appointed me assistant quartermaster general to act in concert with Messrs. Isaac Jones, James Park and Joseph Dilworth, the committee appointed by the board of trade at the request of the war department, to have built under the superintendence of Charles Elliott, C. E., and as he shall direct, steam rams to operate on the Mississippi river against the gunboats of the Confederate States.

Purchased the steamer Mingo as she now lies at the landing for $18,600.

Pay Is Not Munificent.

Saturday, March 29:

In accordance with requisition of Mr. Elliott, purchased some oak lumber and pine timber from Mr. Dilworth. Engaged Mr. Mottheral, ship carpenter, to superintend the alterations to the steamer Mingo at $2.50 per day; instructed him to employ as many workmen as he could engage to advantage, and that he must have them work all night and on Sunday.

Purchased from Long & Duff box of candles for night work.

Engaged Dunlap & English to have boilers properly stayed by iron work and to commence on Monday working day and night. Capt. Smith of the Mingo consented to remain and have general care of the boat, furnishing Mr. Elliott with all the information he can with reference to handling and management of the boat.

Paid $1.50 for telegraphic messages from Mr. Elliott to Capt. William Dillon of Wheeling.

March 31:

Three requisitions for lumber today from Mr. Elliott; ordered part from Funkburn & Richey, William Dilworth & Co. and Fawcett & Co. Arranged to purchase steamers Samson and Lioness to arrive Wednesday and Thursday. Telegraphed the secretary of war: "Have arranged to buy steamer Samson at $21,700 and steamer Lioness at $22,000." Wrote note to E. N. Porter asking him to come up with reference to employment in altering boats.

April 1:

Ordered blacksmith work from Patterson & Bishop. Engaged A. Fulton to make connection pipes for engine section.

April 2:

Paid laborer for work on Mingo $1.25 (John Brady).

Steamer Samson arrived this afternoon.

Orders to Seize Boat.

April 4:

Received telegraphic message from Secretary Stanton approving purchase of steamer Samson and authorizing me to take forcible possession of her if necessary.

Had Samson brought to landing and Mr. Rogers commenced work on her. Engaged Mr. Dravo as mate on Samson at $2 per day. Advertised in Chronicle and Dispatch for 40 or 50 carpenters and millwrights. Paid 25 cents for each advertisement.

Capt. Bailey complained very much of our taking steamer Samson at price agreed with Mr. Jones. On examination found that they have taken all small lines and tools from engine room.

April 5:

The river rose about one foot last night and we have rain today. The prospect now of being able to finish the rams here is very encouraging. Instructed men in charge of boats to have men detailed to keep visitors from the craft. I find they interfere seriously with workmen by asking questions.

April 7:

The work on boats progressed very quietly yesterday. The watchmen stationed on boats prevented inquisitive visitors from going on board.

Weather bad—raining.

Sawmills of Funkburn & Richey and Walton, Phillips & Co. report machinery broken.

April 8:

Weather continues bad—raining without interruption.

Snowstorms Intervene.

April 9:

Received authority from the secretary of war to furnish Mr. Elliott with everything he orders. Weather continues bad, still raining; river rising rapidly.

Heavy snowstorm this evening.

April 10:

Work on boat progressing steadily, but very rapidly. The delivery of lumber is not at all satisfactory.

Finshed work on hull of Mingo.

April 12:

Wrote Mr. Elliott at Cincinnati respecting steamer Argyle. Mr. Rogers and Mr. Motheral thought it very unnecessary to work on Sunday, but insisted that they do so as time is very important.

April 14:

Ship carpenters appeared to work very well yesterday (Sunday). Citizens were prevented from going on board, much to the disgust of many inquisitive individuals.

April 16.

Mr. Rogers is complaining of the slow delivery of lumber. It does seem strange that sawmills will undertake the delivery of lumber that they must know they cannot get out. Work on steamer Mingo is drawing to a close. Several workmen were sent to the other boats.

April 17.

Telegraphed the secretary of war that $85,000 would cover cost of boats and material.

Makes Ram Rifle-Proof.

April 18:

Mr. Park informs me that he intends starting for Washington tomorrow morning. Am sorry, for I shall miss his energetic action in hunting up lumber.

April 19:

Mr. Elliott arrived from Cincinnati this morning. He seems to have in view several additions for the purpose of making the cabins rifle-proof, with loopholes for sharpshooters in the pilot house and on deck. In fact he contemplates carrying a considerable armed force on the boats, which is a great change of program from the original design. Fear Mr. Elliott is crowding his luck, and in his efforts for greater privileges from the war department may lose what he has.

April 21:

Feel very much inclined to swear at Mr. Sands for his not delivering the lumber for barge as promised. River is rising rapidly.

April 22:

The weather continues bad—still raining without, about 23 feet of water in the river. Mr. Dilworth is quite eloquent about the search he had yesterday after lumber and he is decidedly severe on Mr. Sands.

April 24:

By direction of Mr. Elliott have purchased the steamer L. D. Horner for $8,000 and the steamer Dick Fulton for $11,000; also eight barges with 85,000 bushels of coal.

Mingo's Crew Appointed.

April 25:

Commenced work on Horner and Fulton.

The protection on Horner and Fulton. Mr. Elliott decided, shall be nine-inch pine, intended merely for protection against rifle shots.

April 26:

Mr. Elliott informs me that he has appointed Isaac Bausman captain of steamer Mingo and Mr. Taylor and Mr. Obey engineers; also Capt. Cadman as captain of the Dick Fulton.

April 28:

Expect steamer Mingo to leave tonight and the Lioness tomorrow. Received message from Secretary Stanton of the capture of New Orleans by the United States fleet, and urging departure of Elliott's ram to join Commodore Foote, as the fleet at New Orleans would proceed up the Mississippi to Memphis. Ordered United States flags 12 feet long from Edmanson & Co. Mr. Jones is sick, confined to his house, and Mr. Dilworth complains of feeling unwell.

April 29:

Considerable excitement about the steamer Mingo. Hurrying to get her off. Capt. Porter takes charge of the Samson and Capt. Dalzell of the Horner.

Steamer Coal Hill and barges grounded and swung across the channel. Mingo compelled to return, but towards evening started again and went out safely.

Ram Sails Away.

April 30:

The steamer Mingo with four loaded barges is reported as passing Beaver shoals at daybreak this morning.

May 1:

The Samson started nicely this afternoon.

May 5:

Capt. Smith, pilot of the Mingo, returned from New Albany today. He reports the Mingo running and handling very well. He does not think much of the captain or crew. Am not surprised at that.

May 6:

The owners of the steamer Horner claim the hawser on the boat, and want it or the pay for it. I feel obliged to decline both propositions.

May 7:

The Horner and Fulton have the Stars and Stripes up this morning.

The Mingo is reported as having arrived at New Albany on Saturday, May 3; the Samson on Monday and the Lioness on Tuesday. One of the barges loaded with coal in the tow of the Lioness was lost on the falls.

The Hornet left this evening.

May 10:

Mr. Dilworth informs me that he will leave for New Orleans next week.

May 17:

Have arranged with owners of the Coal Hill to tow barge to Cincinnati for $350.

The Coal Hill left with barge at noon today.

The wharf is cleared up and no trace of the rams or barges remains at the landing.

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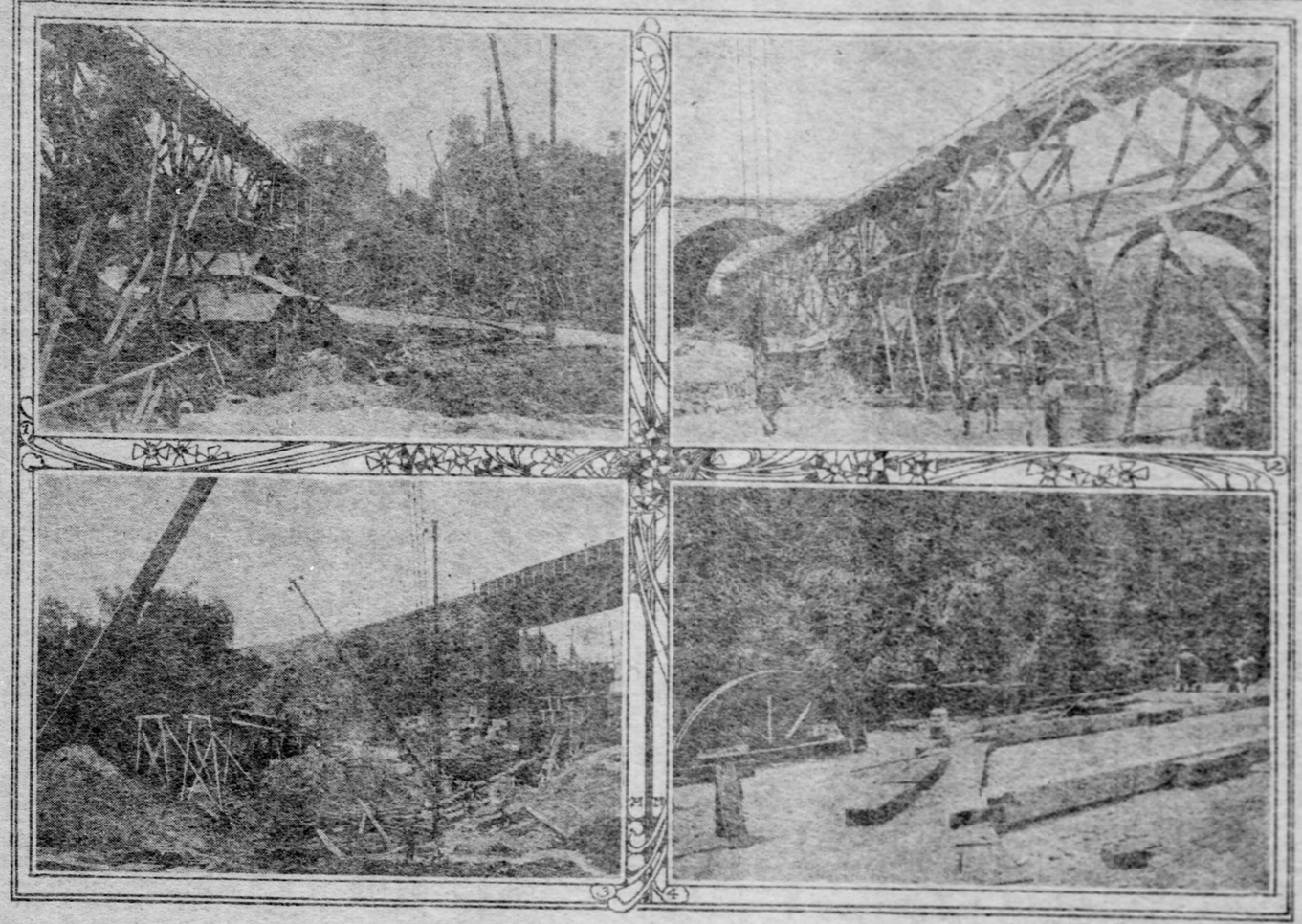

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PITTSBURGH TO HAVE A PLACE OF "TWA BRIGS"

Lincoln Avenue District Has a Hollow That Will Be Bridged Like the Bonnie Doon.

A lot of youngsters playing in a street in the Silver lake district in the East End one evening last week started up the game of London bridge and sang at the top of their voices, "London bridge is falling down, London bridge is falling down." Somebody who had poor ears caught the refrain and thought the little folks were saying the Lincoln avenue bridge was falling down. He started out to investigate and spread the report all over the ward. The bridge, however, is still intact.

A report of the sort easily could gain credence. Since the old Lincoln avenue bridge has been removed a temporary frame structure is used by foot passengers in crossing the hollow. It is substantial and accommodates hundreds of passengers who cross that way.

The temporary bridge, the great arches of the Pennsylvania viaduct and the tremendous work undertaken for the construction makes picturesque surroundings. The accompanying pictures give some idea of the work. When the new bridge is up there will be "twa brigs," as in the old Scotch town of Ayr, and they will be in closer proximity than those that span bonnie Doon.

DEMOCRATS WITHDRAW.

Fusionists in Washington County Meet First Success of the Campaign.

WASHINGTON, PA., July 30.—(Special.)—The Citizens-Democrat fusion party in Washington county made the first successful play of the present campaign yesterday, when it is said they succeeded in inducing every straight Democratic nominee with the exception of J. M. Patterson, candidate for judge, to withdraw in favor of fusion candidates, who will be nominated.

The candidates who withdrew are: W. H. Ecker, Washington, and J. D. Pollock, Hanover township, for county commissioner; W. R. Dennison, Donegal township, and R. S. Hixon, North Strabane township, for county auditor.

PROFLIGATE DUKES OF THE RUSSIAN EMPIRE

Beautiful Daughter of Well-Known Lawyer Victim of Wiles of Duke Boris.

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]

MOSCOW, July 30.—Throughout the czar's empire "grand duke" and "profligate" have long been synonymous terms. To tell a Russian that he is "no better than a grand duke" is the greatest possible reproach against his moral character. The evil reputation of the Grand Duke Boris has not been lessened by the terribly tragic death of Mlle. Anastasia Mabouroff, the youngest daughter of a well-known lawyer, and acknowledged to be the most beautiful girl in Kazan.

For some months past Mlle. Mazouroff caused her friends great anxiety by her peculiar fits of melancholy and nervous depression. For weeks at a time she remained in the house, steadfastly refusing the dozens of invitations she received to dances and parties. Last Monday, however, her parents prevailed upon her to accompany them to a garden party given by the governor of the city. Here she displayed unwonted animation, and throughout the afternoon was the center of a large crowd of admirers.

Returning home, Mlle. Mazouroff retired at once to her bedroom, but on the morning following her maid was unable to obtain a reply when she knocked at her mistress' door. In a state of frenzy M. Mazouroff broke into his daughter's room. There he found Anastasia, clad in a blue peignoir, lying back in a chair before her lookingglass. There was a bullet wound in her temple, and a revolver lay at her side. Stuck in the lookingglass was an autographed portrait of Grand Duke Boris, and beside it lay a letter in the dead girl's handwriting addressed to the Grand Duke Vladimir's profligate son. What the letter contained is not known, but grand ducal influence has been brought to bear on M. Mazouroff, who, with his family, has left Kazan.

An Enchanted Lakeland.

The "Highlands of Ontario," considered the most beautiful summer resort district in America, is annually attracting more attention as the ideal playground for the tourist and holiday seeker. During the last week in June this season, the members of the Builders' Exchange of Cleveland, Ohio, to the number of 200, held their annual outing in the Muskoka lake district, one of the principal regions of this vast territory, making their headquarters at the "Royal Muskoka" hotel. The Cleveland Plain Dealer of June 30 publishes an article by their special staff correspondent, in which appears the following: "The Royal Muskoka hotel is one of the largest and best equipped summer hotels in Canada, opened a week earlier than usual to entertain the builders. The two days here have been most thoroughly enjoyed by the members of the party, and the picturesque and beautiful scenery along the railroad and lake route, in the center of the 'Highlands,' amazed and delighted the Clevelanders."

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LOST $500 A WEEK BY DELAYS

(Special Letter to The Gazette.)

LONDON, July 21.—Whatever Englishmen generally may think of the alleged superiority of their railway systems for passenger service, there is but one opinion on the part of the man "who pays the freight." The farmers and fruitgrowers of the country have special cause for complaint. Some of the most prominent of the latter are likely to leave off cultivating fruit entirely because of the poor railway service. In fact, the railways are largely responsible for the gradual desertion of the land in England.

This freight question has become more than usually prominent at the height of the fruit marketing season, and the statement made by one shipper is a fair reflection of the entire situation. This producer says: "For several years I have cultivated a 600-acre farm and would have extended fruit cultivation almost indefinitely, as London pays the highest price in the world for fruit, but the railway over which I have been compelled to ship will not make suitable arrangements for conveying product to market, although I am prepared to ship in carload lots. This railway will, for days at a time, miss the market. Last year I lost $500 per week for several weeks because of delayed shipments, and this year the fruit is actually spoiling without being picked for want of transportation facilities. I have no remedy. I cannot fight a railway company with an income of $60,000,000 per year, and there is no governmental department which exercises any real control over the railways. The only thing I can do is to leave off cultivating the land and find some other occupation."

The railway side of the case resolves itself into one of pure finance. There is more money in catering to passenger traffic than freight. If there were more land in England it would be worth while for the railways to encourage its greater development. As it is there are 558 persons to the square mile in Great Britain against one and seven-tenths persons on the same area in the United States. The railways of Great Britain make whatever profit they get from their passenger service and usually show a loss on freight. It is just the other way in America.

Organized effort is being made to secure legislation by parliament to remedy the evil, but should any bill be passed designed to meet this trouble the power of the railroad lobby is such that it would probably be rendered ineffective by its qualifications. Parliament and the board of trade have been investigating the matter and every report made severely criticises the railways. A government committee of importance has just completed an investigation. Upon every point considered recommendations are made against the railways. The committee calls for the institution of a fairer system of rates, and the report lays special stress upon the provision of better freight cars. A government department is also asked for to especially supervise the question of settling differences between the farmer and the railways.

AMERICANS OF NOTE WHO ARE TOURING IN FRANCE

Comings and Goings of the Summer Visitors to Sunland—Invalids Are Regaining Health.

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]

PARIS, July 30.—Raymond Hoagland has just made a tour via Chartres, Nantes, Bordeaux, Lyons, Geneva and back to Paris with a 40-horse power Bollee, which he is taking to America at the beginning of August.

A single puncture was the total of bad luck.

Max Herzog of New York, accompanied by his mother and sister, has left Paris for Chamonix in an automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pelton, who have taken les Roches Brunes at Dinard for the season, came up to Paris recently and returned in their Mercedes.

Miss Eleanor Robson, who has been passing a fortnight at Pontavenne, in Brittany, with her mother, came up to Paris in an automobile placed at her disposal by her theatrical manager, George Tyler, at the beginning of the week, and on Tuesday night went in the same way to Cherbourg to take the steamship for New York.

Mrs. Robson, whose health had not been of the best, was greatly benefited by the bracing air of the Britanny coast. She found traveling by automobile less trying than railway journey would have been.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Reisinger of New York have gone from Ostend to Baden in their Mercedes.

Frank H. Partridge of New York has arrived at Frankfort in a 28-horse power Hotchkiss.

Mr. VanNorden of New York has arrived at Cauterets in an automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Carroll have gone to Aix-les-Bains in a 40-horse power Bollee.

QUEER ANTICS OF AN ECCENTRIC WOMAN

Wealthy Subject of the Czar Who Kept Wild Boar in a Palatial Pig Sty.

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]

VIENNA, July 30.—The Kaluga newspapers report the death and amazing burial of Mlle. Agafya Simbirski, one of the richest and most eccentric women in Russia. When only 20 years of age, Mlle. Simbirski, by the death of her father, became possessed of a fortune of nearly three million roubles. Suitors innumerable sought her hand, but the enormously wealthy girl set her affections on an ugly, red-haired gardener, Andrei Vanukhin by name. Furious at her choice, Mlle. Simbirski's brother ordered Vanukhin to leave the neighborhood. The gardener refused. Within a week he was found lying dead in a paddock reserved for the use of "a half-tame wild boar."

Although an evident case of murder, the family hushed things up, alleging that Vanukhin had been killed by the pig, which he well knew to be dangerous. Contrary to expectation, Mlle. Simbirski appeared to accept this explanation. But the joy of her family was turned to despair when the young lady proclaimed her belief that the spirit of her dead lover had entered into the body of his slayer. From that day forth Mlle. Simbirski consecrated her life to the evil-smelling hog. At her order, a firm of St. Petersburg contractors built a palatial sty of granite and snow-white marble. The sty contained a sleeping apartment, a dining-room and salon, all lit by electric light. The demented lady retained the service of an expert cook, who thrice daily prepared a sumptuous repast for the benefit of the grunting porker. Mlle. Simbirski was accustomed to feed the hog with her own fair hands, and only recently ordered a gorgeous silver trough from a well-known Moscow manufacturer.

A few weeks ago the unfortunate girl became extremely religious, and insisted that Andrei—for so she called the pig—should fast when she fasted. One night she visited the marble sty. From that visit she never returned. Early next morning the steward discovered her mistress' body terribly mutilated in a corner of the pigs' "bedroom." Again there were rumors of foul play, but again the family alleged that the pig was the murderer. Color was added to the story by the circumstance that the "fasting" and half-famished boar had mangled one of the arms of his mistress. In the presence of a vast concourse, Mlle. Simbirski's eldest brother shot Andrei through the heart. Afterwards the body of the boar was buried in a grave beside that of his benefactress.

ANGRY COUNTESS WILL SELL HER ROYAL JEWELS

Determined to Break With Her Father-in-Law, King Joseph, She Will Part With King's Gifts.

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]

BERLIN, July 30.—Countess Longay has greatly annoyed her former father-in-law, Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria by offering the jewels given to her while she was still crown princess of Austria for sale in Paris.

It is obvious that her act in doing so was not caused by lack of money, as her present husband, Count Longay, is immensely wealthy, and the countess receives an income from both the Belgian and the Austrian court.

Her only reason for doing so is that she wants to sue her father, King Leopold, for the inheritance left her by her mother, Emperor Francis Joseph, asked her to desist because of the many scandals a suit of this kind would reveal, but the countess not only ignored this request but with evident pleasure disclosed secrets which showed King Leopold to be the worst kind of a libertine, devoid of all sense of honor and decency—a fact which by the way did not surprise anyone very much.

When Francis Joseph reprimanded her she told him in plain words to mind his own business, or she would tell things from her own married life which would show the late Crown Prince Rudolph in a very unenviable light. From that moment the breach between her and the emperor was complete.

The value of the gems which the countess declares she will sell to show how little she cares for the gifts of emperors and princes is not an extraordinary one, though, owing to origin of the gems, they would probably bring prices far beyond their intrinsic value.

Among the jewels are a necklace of diamonds, the wedding gift of Emperor Francis Joseph, valued at $5,000, a string of pearls from Crown Prince Rudolph, valued at $15,000, and a string of emeralds, the wedding gift of the late Archduke Albrecht.

The aged emperor is said to have appealed to the loyalty of Count Longay to prevent the sale, but as the countess is no less stubborn than her royal father, she will probably refuse to listen to his words, too.

Found Dead on the Track.

BELLAIRE, O., July 30.—(Special.)—The dead body of Peter Jeferies, aged 35, was found at Shadyside this morning close to the tracks of the Pittsburgh, Ohio Valley & Cincinnati railway. He had been struck by a yard engine during the night.

Fighting for the Pay.

Joseph Brady of 309 Brereton avenue was fined $3 and costs by Magistrate Kirby yesterday. Brady was arrested Saturday while fighting with Joseph Perkofski, who said Brady had tried to collect his pay at the Park steel works.

M. P. HAS KILLED SCORES OF BILLS

Legislator Thinks Legislation Is Root of Evil and Blocks Many Laws.

ALMOST LIVES IN PARLIAMENT

(Special Letter to The Gazette.)

LONDON, July 21.—Though he makes little stir in the political world, James Caldwell is one of the most remarkable and potent figures in the inner life of the house of commons. He is a poor speaker and counts for little as a politician, and yet he has more influence and control of the work of the house than any other private member and divided with Mr. Balfour, or whosoever else may be the leader of the house, the fate of almost every measure that is introduced there. A wealthy bachelor and retired from business, the world seems to offer him but one form of real delight. To parliament he gives his undivided time and attention. During the many years that he has held a seat there he has never missed an hour that the house has been in session. He lunches there; takes his tea there; dines there; and if it afforded private bedrooms he would certainly sleep there. Unable to do that, he lives just as close to it as he can.

He seems to think that of all the evils that afflict the world legislation is one of the greatest, and that it is his chief mission in life to stop as much of it as possible. Long practice has made him an expert at this sort of game. If the members were privileged to wear scalps for the bills they have killed, Mr. Caldwell would have to carry a dozen belts around his ample waist to support all the trophies of the measures he has slain. And yet there is nothing bloodthirsty in his appearance. Smiling and benign, with long, white whiskers, a rubicund face and a soft voice, "Jimmy" Caldwell, as he is called by his friends, could play Santa Claus with hardly any make-up. And yet his opposition to a bill inspires more terrors among its supporters than that of any of the Titans of debate. Single-handed last session he slew the Musical copyright bill, and in consequence the pirates now hold the field so completely that some of the largest musical publishers in London have temporarily retired from business.

It is the rules of the house, and his thorough mastery of them, which enables "Jimmy" to exercise such great power. Chief among them is what is known as the 12 o'clock rule. It provides that no bill shall proceed after midnight if any member objects. Except for a few days in the earlier months of each session, nearly all the time of the house up to midnight is taken up with government business. At that hour there is usually a dozen, sometimes a score of bills, most of them proposed by private members, awaiting action. The clerk at the table solemnly reads out the names of each of them in succession. All a member has to do to knock out any one of them for the time being is to take off his hat and pronounce the magic words, "I object." That is "Jimmy's" opportunity. While the sponsors for these legislative hostlings curse him under their breath, with the blandest of smiles and the sweetest of voices he ruthlessly consigns them to oblivion.

But his midnight labor represents only a small part of his devoted efforts to block legislation. Ministers are always on the lookout for chances to sneak through bills, when the vigilance of the average member is relaxed. The half hour before the dinner hour offers the best opportunities for this sort of game. But it can never be done without "Jimmy's" consent. If that has not been obtained he is sure to oppose the measure whatever it is, and will talk against it in a fashion that leaves nobody a bit the wiser until the dinner hour is reached and the house automatically adjourns. At each session, especially toward the close when business and time grows precious, the strange spectacle may be witnessed of the most powerful members of the government calling this benevolent looking but sour old Scotsman into consultation to ascertain if he will graciously permit this or that bill to pass. Yet outside the house the dictator's name is hardly known. He has never been known to prepare a bill himself, but he has killed more of them than any man living.

James Caldwell, M. P.

DENOUNCES MR. ROCKEFELLER

Governor LaFollette Receives Cheers When He Calls Him the Greatest Criminal.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 30.—John D. Rockefeller is the greatest criminal of the age.

Thus did Gov. Robert M. LaFollette of Wisconsin denounce the richest man in the world in an address delivered this afternoon at the state fair grounds before the Illinois Baptist Chautauqua. The declaration was greeted with cheers.

Ministers Propose to Stay.

LONDON, July 31.—The Daily Telegraph makes the authoritative announcement that parliament will not be dissolved this year unless the government is again defeated before prorogation.

In preparation for our

Annual Stocktaking

on August 1st we are compelled to offer a large number of Ladies' Suits and Coats at much below original prices. These garments are all madish and were made with the greatest possible care and attention to details. Space must be prepared for placement of new Fall goods, which explains the reduced prices.

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PROFESSIONAL ELEMENT IS IN CONTROL OF THE MARKET

Improvement in Speculative Sentiment Is Simply Work of Pool and Clique Operators Who Are Swinging Long-Dormant Issues.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 30.—There was no mistaking the improvement in speculative sentiment during the last business week in Wall street. Whether this extends far below the surface is a question. It was very clearly apparent that the bulk of the business and practically all the enthusiasm was confined to the professional speculative element. Transactions were better diversified, to be sure, but this was the work of pool and clique operators taking hold of issues which have long lain dormant, to give them a swing. Neither the character of the trading nor the class of securities which reflected a revival of activity, were such as appeal very strongly to investment interests.

Improvement in speculative sentiment was manifested, not only in the reversal of market tendencies, the recovery and advance in prices, but in the outpouring of deal and rumor stories, which filled the street. The circulation of such reports as were used to stimulate or sustain prices during the interval are always an attendant feature of a revival or an attempted revival of a speculative movement. There was little of novelty or interest in the batch supplied last week, and as a matter of fact, very little ingenuity is displayed in respect to "deal" stories. Those worn threadbare by frequent usage in the past are fully as effective as the most ingenious modern invention.

The genesis of a deal and rumor story, at least in principle, is not difficult to determine. No matter how favorable underlying factors may be, in order to get a speculative movement started or keep it in motion when once it gets under way, constant appeals have to be made to the imagination of the speculative individual. Reports of good crops, satisfactory earnings, excellent business conditions and the like are not in themselves sufficient to overcome that tendency of a market when in rest to stay in rest. The "machinery of the market," the matching and washing of stocks, and the "churning process" is all very well for a time, but speculators are likely to become suspicious of this in time, and in consequence something more attractive has to be served up to induce buying. Hence the deal and rumor stories.

While many idle and misleading tales found their way in to circulation last week in an effort to arouse public interest, there were several developments highly favorable to the constructive side of the market. Some of these were what might be termed of a negative character, such as the denial of the exaggerated reports of damage by "black rust" to the northwestern wheat crop, and the similar denial of the reported impending labor difficulty in the anthracite coal field. The surprise is that the latter rumor should ever have received any credence at all, not because the United Mine Workers are under a pledge to continue existing arrangements until next April, but chiefly because the present is the dull season in the anthracite industry, and strikes to be effective are ordered when trade is active, at which time labor hopes to force capital to concede its demands.

With the denial of the exaggerated reports of the extent of injury to the spring wheat crop came a sharp decline in the price of wheat, and some very favorable statements as to the crop situation.

It is to be hoped that these may be fully realized, and in respect to corn they seem likely to be realized, for practically all authorities agree that the conditions under which that great crop started and is developing are practically ideal. It would be too much to expect, perhaps, that the crops reach maturity without some deterioration, and the speculative possibilities of the grain markets are such that reports of injury are more likely to be circulated than not. What is definitely ascertained is that, at the present time, the great source of material wealth in the harvests promises well.

It is impossible to speak with definiteness as to the condition of the cotton crop. The disclosures as to the manner in which the bureau of agriculture made up its statistics of acreage and the like, and the revision of the acreage estimate, appears to have confused the whole situation for the time being. But in respect to this, there may be brought to pass a better balance between the speculative forces operating in the great staple.

No industry has suffered more than the textile in recent years as a result of the inordinate speculation and tremendous fluctuations in cotton. Now that it is showing well-deserved improvement, the confusion in statistics in confusing the cotton speculator's mind, might give a stability to the price of the staple which will result beneficially rather than harmfully to the entire community. That there is a likelihood of a short crop of cotton is apparently true, but the quantity of the old crop carried over is admittedly large, and at or around prevailing prices its sale in the market may render difficult the scheme of the bull speculators to advance the staple to an unjustifiable level and to the disturbance of great industries.

Some of the improvement in the speculative stock market of the week was attributed to the declaration of an initial dividend of 4 per cent on Erie second preferred stock. Yet the Erie issues themselves have made practically no progress since that action was taken, and have, in fact, acted as though the price enhancement preceding the dividend action, had up to the present fully discounted the development.

It seems quite apparent that the speculative position of Erie common stock is improved by declaring a dividend on the second preferred.

The earnings of the United States Steel Corporation for the June quarter were properly considered in every way satisfactory. That this should not have excited a greater influence on the market is due doubtless to the existing high prices and the belief that so generally prevails that for the present the prices very nearly discount such improvement as is in sight. That the company saw fit to mark off so much to renewals, replacement and the like is a good sign. While calling to mind the heavy losses of the past year and making clear the fact that what was lost then will take a long series of sustaining earnings to make good, the fact still remains that the large amounts assigned go into the improvement of the company's plant. It is a settled better course of proceeding than was the original payments of the dividend on the common stock and the plans of financial readjustment, which so disturbed the community some three years ago.

It may be regarded doubtful if any of the occurrences of the last week threw much light on the future market. That fundamental conditions are good cannot be questioned, and the harvest prospects are excellent. There is, however, an enormous expansion of loans throughout the country, and there remains the uncertainty of the money market, at the time of harvest demand. It is difficult to avoid the conclusion that the money market is in its present prevailing low rates entirely abnormal, yet, barring accident, there appears nothing to occasion alarm over this situation.

But probably the most interesting problem in the market centers around the attitude of the public. The largest interests and the great professional operators show unquestionable confidence in the future, but the rank and file of the investing and speculative public still hold aloof. They, too, admit the existence of favorable underlying conditions, but their confidence apparently is shaken by recent scandalous disclosures and the level of prices both of bonds and stocks are such as to make them hesitate to purchase at this time. With easy money and a good outlook those who hold the stocks at this level show little disposition to sell. That is well and good. It is far less attractive to others to buy, however, at this level, for the chances of still further enhancement diminishes in direct proportion as stocks advance.

REVIEW OF THE WEEK IN THE LOCAL MARKETS

Immense Volume of Business Transacted With No Sensational Features to Trade.

There were no sensational features to last week's market unless it was the sudden drop in wheat, which pratically paralyzed the advance in flour which threatened. For wheat to drop 5 or 6 cents in two days called all hope of a settled price in the flour market. Dealers would not care what the price was. All they would like would be a settled condition which would make buying safe.

The advance of coffee last week was not unexpected as the berry had been growing stronger for a couple of weeks. Dealers generally believe this is about top, but, of course, that is only a local opinion.

Green goods, fruit and produce had a tremendous trade last week. Any one day of the week past was better than any of the weeks preceding and much greater than any day for the corresponding week of last year. Prices held along evenly all week and few changes in quotations were made. There are a number of quotations affected this morning and they are mostly for lower prices.

The butter and egg market held up firmly all week. Selected fresh eggs are doing 18c and 19½c, and even as high as 20c has been secured. They are scarce and those who want them are willing to pay the seller's price.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts Saturday were: Pennsylvania lines, 8½ cars oats, ½ car corn, 11 cars hay, 4 cars straw; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 4 cars oats, 3 cars hay, 1 car straw; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 1 car straw, 1 car hay, 1 car feed.

The hay market was firm during the week, as receipts were not heavy. Shelled corn is in fair demand, while ear corn is wanted at advanced quotations. Wheat, oats and straw is in better demand, but rye straw continues very slow, with lower quotations. Mill feed remained steady, except lighter. Oats were inclined to weaken somewhat on account of the near movement of new oats, which is expected next week.

No. 1 timothy	$13.25@13.50
No. 2	$12.00@12.25
No. 1 clover	$10.25@10.75
No. 1 mixed	$10.25@10.75
Straw, oat	$6.50@7.00
do wheat	$6.00@6.50
do rye	$9.50@10.00
No. 2 white oats	37@37½c
No. 3 white	36½@36¾c
No. 4 oats	36@36¼c
White middlings, No. 1, ton	$19.75@20.00
No. 2 middlings	$17.75@18.25
do brown	$16.50@17.00
Bran, ton	$16.50@17.00
Wheat, No. 2 red, at mill	93@95c
Corn—Yellow shelled	63½@64c
High mixed	62@62½c
Yellow ear	63½@64c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie	$1.00
do pie, gal	$2.50@3.00
do California, L. C	$1.80@2.25
do California, Y. F	$1.90@2.25
Corn, fancy	$1.10@1.20
do stand	80@90c
Cherries, California, white	$2.25@2.50
Lima beans	$1.25@1.45
do soaked	75@80c
String beans, 2-lb	55@70c
do 3-lb	90@95c
Stringless beans	$1.10@1.60
Peas, marrowfat	80@85c
do early June	75@85c
do soaked	55@65c
Plums, California	$1.40@1.65
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans	$2.75@2.80
Pineapples	$1.25@2.50
Raspberries	85@95c
Gooseberries	85@90c
Tomatoes, fancy	$1.10@1.30
do standard	80@85c
do gal	$2.05
Succotash, 1-lb cans	$1.10@1.25
Baked beans, cans, tomato sauce	75@85c
Salmon, red dog	85c@$2.00
do red, 1-lb flats	95c@$1.00
1-lb flats	$1.65@2.00
do pink, 1-lb talls	$1.35@2.10
Chipped beef	$2.25@2.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans	$2.30@2.40
do 1-lb cans	$1.25@1.30
Mackerel, broiled	$1.90@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ¼s	$3.10@3.15
do ½s	$2.80
do French	$8.50@18.50

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	
Prints	23@23½c
Tubs	22½@23c
Ohio cream	20@21c
Dairy	14@15c
Cooking	8@11c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream, new	10¾@11c
do Ohio cream	10¾@11c
do ¾ cream, new	8@9¼c
Picnics	11@12c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs	15@15½c
Eggs, selected	19@19½c
do southern	17@17½c
Gathering Point Prices: Dairy butter, lb	10@11c
Eggs, doz	14½c

DRIED FRUITS.

Raisins, 1-lb pkg	7½@8c
Evap. peaches, 2-lb box, lb	12@12c
Evap. apples, 1-lb pkgs	6¾@7½c
Evap. apricots, bags, lb	9@11c
Evap. apricots, 25-lb box, choice	10½@12c
do fancy	12@13c
Evap. currants, 1-lb pkgs	7@7½c
Prunes, Cal., lb	4@7c

GROCERIES.

Flour.

Fancy strg. patent, quarters, in paper	$4.10@4.15
Fancy winter patent	$5.55@5.65
Rye	$4.60@4.70
Graham, 10-lb bags	$2.20@2.50
Cornmeal, bbls	2.00@2.25
Rolled oats, bbl	$4.20
do Regs	$2.40

Roasted Coffee.

Rio	15¾@15c
Santos	15¾@16c
Maracaibo	15¾@16c
Peaberry	17.18@18¼c
Golden Rio	17c
Caracas	20@20½c
Standard, pkgs	13½c
High grade	15@19c

Molasses, fancy, refined | 35@40c
do choice | 31@34c
do open ket | 27@29c
do 2-lb | 26c
do 3-lb | $1.35@1.65
Fancy syrup | 28@30c
Maple, sugar, gal | $1.00
Sug. and cane | 24@25c
2-lb cans, doz | 75c
5-lb cans, doz | 90c
10-lb cans, doz | $1.80
Maple, gal | 75@$1.00
Sugar, sta. gran | 5.40c
do bags | 5.70c
do 2-lb carton | 5.55c
do 5-lb bags | 5.50c
do pow'd x x x x | 5.50c

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, fancy	$2.00@2.25
do choice	$1.60@1.75
Sweet potatoes, bbl	$4.25@4.50
do bu bsk	$1.65@1.75
Onions, Bermudas	90c@$1.00
do southern, sacks	$1.00@1.25
do Spanish, crates	$1.50@1.75
Cabbage, new, bbls	$1.50@1.75
Green peppers, crates	$1.25@1.50
Parsley, doz	15@25c
Spring onions	10@15c
Green beans, bu	$1.00@1.25
Wax beans, bu	$1.00@1.25
Mint, doz	50@75c
Celery, Kalamazoo	10@25c
do Ohio, large bunches	30@35c
do small bunches	10@15c
Summer squash, bu hampers	$1.25@1.50
Rhubarb	12½@15c
Popcorn, lb	4@5c
Eggplant, crates	$1.75@2.00
Garlic, lb	10@12c
Watercress, doz	20@40c
Lettuce, field, doz	30@35c
Green peas, bu hamper	$1.25@1.50
Cauliflower, doz	$1.00@1.25
Watermelons	25@35c
Cantaloupes, crates	$1.50@1.75
do baskets	25@50c
do Indiana	50@60c
do Oklahoma	$3.00@3.50
Carrots, doz	50@65c
Tomatoes, Marietta, baskets	$1.00@1.25
do home raised, chips	90c@$1.00
do Ill., crates	65@75c
Radishes, long red, doz	25@30c
do white, doz	30@35c
Cucumbers, Ashtabula chips No. 1	75@80c
do No. 2	50@60c
do southern, basket	$1.60@1.75
Corn, doz	10@12c
do sack	$1.75@2.25
New beets, doz	25@25c
Lima beans, 3-qt bskt	75@90c
do qts	35@50c

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live chickens	14@15c
do springers, light	15@16c
do heavy	17@18c
do roosters	5@9c
do turkeys	10@11c
do ducks	14@15c
do pigeons, doz	$1.00@1.25
Dressed hens	17@18c
do springers	20@22c
do roosters	11@12c
do turkeys	22@23c
do Long Island ducklings	20c
do ducks	15@19c
do capon, lb	24@27c
Squab, doz	$2.75@4.00
do No. 2	$2.00@2.25
Ducks, ruddy	$1.25
do red head	$1.70@2.00
do canvasback	$2.75@3.00
Imported golden plover, doz	$6.50
do black plover	$4.50
English pheasants, per pair	$2.25
Reed birds, doz	$1.25
Snappers, per lb	8@9c
Pigeons, pair	20@25c
Frogs, doz	$2.25@2.50

PROVISIONS.

Hams.

18 lbs and up	11¾c
Over 14 to 18 lbs	11¾c
Over 10 to 14 lbs	12c
10 lbs and under	12¼c
Skinned	12¾c
Boneless boiled	13c
California	8¾c
Shoulders, N. Y., cut	8½c
do skinned	9c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs	12¼c
do 10 to 12 lbs	11¾c
do back strips	11¼c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs	12½c
do 10 to 12 lbs	12c
Breakfast bacon, back stripe	11¾c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears	9c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	8¼c
do 16 to 20 lbs	8¼c
do under 16 lbs	9¼c
Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears	10c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	10¼c
do 16 to 20 lbs	10½c
do under 16 lbs	13½c
Lard, pure, tierces	7¾c

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu, small	$8.00@8.10
do mammoth	$8.10@8.20
do crimson	$5.50@5.60
do white, Dutch	$9.75@11.50
Alsike	$8.00@8.10
Alfalfa	$8.00@8.25
Millet, Western	$1.25@1.50
Southern	$1.90@2.00
Grass, Hungarian	60c@$1.00
do hawn, lb	16@18c
do blue, 15-lb bu	$1.25@1.50
do red top, 14-lb bu	$1.10@1.60
Timothy	$1.65@1.75

FRUITS.

New apples, bu	$1.50@1.60
do bbls	$2.25@3.50
Lemons, Messinas	$2.00@2.50
do Cal	$3.00@4.00
Oranges, late Valencias	$4.50@5.00
do St. Michaels	$4.50@4.75
Cocoanuts, bags	$2.25@2.50
do doz	5c ea
Bananas, lge	$1.50@2.00
do 2ds	$1.00@1.50
Pineapples, Fla. crates	$3.00@4.00
Cayenne	$4.00@5.00
Grapes, Del., crates	$1.50@1.75
Pears, large crates	$4.50@5.00
per 100	$1.25@1.50
Choice	$1.25@1.50
do Cal	75c
crates	$1.50@1.75
do Ark	$1.50@1.75
do Tragedies	$1.50@1.75
do Md., qts	75@75c
do 10-lb baskets	35@40c

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 large, bbl	$24.50
do mess, bbl	$12.00
do half bbl	$7.50
do quar. bbl	$4.25
do quar. bbl	$6.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl	$20.00
do half bbls	$10.50
do quar bbls	$6.25
do 25-lb pails	$2.10
do 10-lb pails	$1.75
Mackerel, No. 2	$16.00
do half bbls	$8.50
do quar bbls	$4.75
do 10-lb pails	$1.90
do 5-lb pails	$1.00
do No. 2 Irish	$5.00
10-lb tubs	$5.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs	$2.60
do half bbls	$1.45
do 10-lb	35c

SMALL FRUITS.

Blackberries, qts	8@12c
fancy	15@18c
do choice	12@14c
Dewberries, qts	8@10c
crates	$2.25@3.50
Gooseberries, qts	8@10c
Huckleberries, pails	7@9c
do large bskt	$1.00@1.25
do small basket	60@65c
Currants, qts	10@12c
24 16-lb boxes	$2.25@2.50
Wild plums, 12 half crates	$1.00@1.25

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, car lots fancy	$1.60
bbls	$1.80
New cabbage, bbls	$1.40@1.50
Tomatoes, lbs	5@8c
Cantaloupes	$1.25@1.50
do bsl. bskts	20@30c
Watermelons, car	$140.00@150.00

Seeking for Their Guest.

Os. Hart, a negro barber of Homestead, is wanted by the police. W. M. Jackson and wife of 2 Wesley street say Hart called on them yesterday afternoon. While the Jacksons went into another room to get refreshments for their guest, Hart, they allege, abstracted $20 from Mrs. Jackson's pocketbook, which was on the table, and left the house on a run.

MARKET CHARACTERIZED BY FURTHER WEAKNESS

Reports of Falsity of the Rust Damage Rumors Continue to Come In.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, July 30.—Alleged lack of damage by rust caused weakness in the wheat market here today. At the close the September delivery was off ¾c. Corn is up ¼c. Oats are down ¼c. Provisions are practically unchanged.

Weakness in the wheat market developed during the last half of the day. Early in the session the market was quite firm on a fair demand from commission houses. At the opening September was ½c higher to ¼c lower at 83c to 83¼c. With only light offerings, the price gradually advanced to 83¾c. A steady market at Liverpool in spite of a sharp break in Chicago prices yesterday had considerable influence on trading here. Another factor, favorable to the bulls, was unsettled weather in the northwest.

Numerous reports from the northwest telling of the condition of the spring-sown crop were received, but these advices were very conflicting. One of the reports, however, attracted special attention and was the chief cause of heavy liquidation late in the session. This report was from a Chicago expert, who is inspecting the wheat fields of North Dakota. "Scarcely a trace of black rust and but a moderate amount of leaf rust" was the substance of a dispatch from this authority. Reports of continued heavy primary receipts helped to dislodge large quantities of long wheat.

Total arrivals for the week were over 7,000,000 bushels, compared with 4,600,000 bushels the corresponding week last year. The market became extremely weak during the last hour, September declining to 84¾c. The close was practically at the lowest point of the day. Final quotations on September being at 84¼c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 22,500 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,064,500 bushels, compared with 877,100 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 426 cars, against 234 cars last week and 237 cars a year ago.

Corn, notwithstanding the decline in wheat prices, held remarkably steady. Prominent bulls were active purchasers of corn during the greater part of the session. Fit traders also were inclined to favor the bull side. The market closed firm. September opened ¼c higher to ¼c lower at 52¾c to 53c, sold up to 53¾c and closed at 53¾c. Local receipts were 221 cars.

Provisions were steady on fair support from packers. The spread of yellow fever in the south was a weakening influence. At the close September pork was up 10c at $13.17½. Lard and ribs were each off 2½c at $7.25 and $7.55, respectively.

Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 238 cars; corn, 267 cars; oats, 371 cars; hogs, 24,000 head.

The leading futures, as reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., Farmers bank building, Pittsburgh, members of Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yest'day's Close.
WHEAT No. 2					
July	85¾	86¼	85	85¼	86
September	85¾	86¾	84¾	84¾	85¾
December	86¾	87¾	85¾	85¾	86¾
CORN No. 2					
July (old)	54¼	54¾	54	54	54¾
July (new)	54¼	54¾	54	54	54¼
Sept. (old)	53¾	53¾	53¾	53¾	53¾
Sept. (new)	52¾	53¾	52¾	52¾	52¾
Dec. (new)	45¾	47¼	45¾	45¾	45¾
OATS No. 2					
July	29	29¾	29	29¾	29¾
September	28	28¾	27¾	28	28¼
December	28¼	28¾	28¼	28¾	28¼
May	30¼	30¾	30	30¾	30¼
MESS PORK					
September	13 12½	13 17½	13 12½	13 17½	13 05
October					13 12½
LARD					
September	7 25	7 25	7 25	7 25	7 27½
October	7 27½	7 27½	7 22½	7 22½	7 27½
SHORT RIBS					
September	7 26	7 26	7 22½	7 26	7 27½
October	5 60	5 60½	5 60	5 52½	5 65

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour steady; winter patents, $4 20@4 30; straights, $4 00@4 10; spring patents, $4 25@4 40; straights, $4 00@4 10; bakers', $3 60@3 80; No. 2 spring wheat, 81 00@1 01; No. 3, 81c@91 05; No. 2 red, 81½@82c; No. 3 corn, 54½@54¾c; No. 2 yellow, 54¼@54½c; No. 2 oats, 29½@29¾c; No. 3 white, 28½@29c; No. 3 white, new, 28c; No. 4 white, new, 26@26½c; No. 2 rye, 46c; good feeding barley, 36@38c; fair to choice malting, 41@49c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 01; No. 1 northwestern, $1 02; prime timothy seed, $3 20; mess pork, per bbl, $13 10; lard, per 100 lbs, $7 12½@7 15; short ribs sides, loose, $7 50@7 80; short clear sides, boxed, $7 87½@8 00; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 27; clover, contract grade, $12 75@13 00.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	14,700	13,700
Wheat, bushels	273,500	28,500
Corn, bushels	323,200	262,200
Oats, bushels	218,000	120,100
Rye, bushels	14,000	
Barley, bushels	14,500	500

NEW YORK WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT

Statement of the consolidated banks of the city of New York, from reports to the New York clearing house, as required under section 31 of the constitution, for the week ending Saturday, July 29.

BANKS.	Loans.	Specie.	Legals.	Deposits.	Average Circulation.
Bank of New York, Nat. Bkg. Assn.	$ 10,337,600	$ 2,397,900	$ 1,601,400	$ 12,139,300	$ 1,727,700
Manhattan Company	35,276,000	8,230,000	2,400,000	32,462,000	
Merchants National	14,661,100	2,969,800	1,284,200	13,702,500	
Mechanics National	27,113,000	5,520,000	2,780,000	28,945,000	627,600
Bank of America	13,052,300	3,140,000	1,048,200	13,078,400	
Phoenix National	3,371,000	1,027,000	280,000	3,470,000	597,000
National City	30,126,400	7,000,000	1,000,000	30,000,000	4,617,300
Chemical National	25,394,300	4,822,700	1,474,500	24,252,600	
Merchants Exchange National	4,510,000	1,100,000	424,000	4,402,000	148,500
Gallatin National	8,371,800	1,379,500	398,700	8,902,400	567,300
National Butchers & Drovers	3,311,400	597,100	61,900	3,748,800	41,300
Mechanics & Traders	4,871,000	772,000	402,000	5,020,000	
Greenwich Bank	2,540,600	697,700	47,000	2,744,400	
American Exchange National	9,796,000	4,077,000	2,371,000	15,758,000	4,617,000
National Bank of Commerce	102,200,700	24,471,800	12,918,600	122,187,200	2,500,000
Mercantile National	12,402,200	3,402,000	1,107,200	16,116,800	2,547,000
Pacific	3,323,700	837,600	147,600	3,981,700	
Chatham National	6,124,000	1,503,400	379,200	8,228,600	
Peoples	1,777,100	435,700	87,000	2,124,100	
National Bank of North America	15,048,700	3,467,500	1,180,000	14,370,300	568,700
Hanover National	49,747,000	11,650,900	3,502,800	57,054,200	2,500,000
Irving National Bank	7,302,400	1,737,400	384,400	8,554,400	1,000,000
Citizens Central National Bank	20,108,200	3,958,300	2,120,100	25,114,400	1,402,100
Nassau Bank	3,212,000	402,000	81,000	3,479,000	
Market & Fulton National	6,140,000	1,500,200	647,000	7,140,000	31,000
National Shoe & Leather	6,784,000	1,904,000	96,000	8,170,000	497,400
Corn Exchange Bank	23,923,000	5,470,000	4,497,000	29,922,000	
Oriental	3,504,500	1,727,100	422,700	3,921,500	
Importers and Traders National	24,941,000	4,941,000	1,307,000	31,313,000	49,500
National Park Bank	73,598,000	24,197,000	4,469,000	93,473,000	2,499,200
East River National Bank	3,424,000	733,000	238,000	3,442,000	49,900
Fourth National Bank	21,921,300	3,874,600	1,402,400	25,462,800	749,000
Second National Bank	9,424,000	2,014,000	1,017,000	12,455,000	264,000
First National Bank	150,000,000	24,792,500	8,553,000	210,000,000	1,712,400
New York National Exchange Bank	8,833,500	1,900,000	1,000,000	11,733,000	497,100
Bowery Bank	3,219,700	693,900	168,000	3,534,000	
New York County National	3,623,700	809,600	454,000	4,283,600	49,500
German-American	4,372,000	772,200	191,600	4,375,000	
Chase National	50,000,000	13,335,400	1,239,200	58,779,600	713,000
Fifth Avenue	9,353,900	1,578,700	460,500	11,191,400	
German Exchange Bank	2,000,900	375,900	490,000	3,543,200	
Germania Bank	3,046,900	465,200	648,700	3,279,700	
Lincoln National Bank	12,960,500	998,700	2,738,100	14,147,600	596,100
Garfield National Bank	2,511,100	1,124,800	241,700	3,398,200	45,000
Fifth National Bank	2,547,400	1,042,000	146,000	3,642,800	227,000
Bank of Metropolis	2,500,000	1,843,700	261,000	4,454,000	
West Side	4,008,900	226,800	284,400	4,454,000	
Seaboard National	14,407,000	3,041,000	1,388,000	18,127,000	356,000
First National Bank, Brooklyn	4,441,900	827,000	677,000	4,924,000	72,900
Liberty National	11,309,500	2,547,800	250,000	13,833,900	897,900
New York Produce Exchange	3,053,900	1,102,000	430,000	4,303,100	
New Amsterdam National	5,778,900	813,600	324,400	6,003,400	300,000
Astor National Bank	4,760,000	845,000	267,000	4,294,000	300,000
Totals	$ 1,144,647,000	$ 234,696,700	$ 97,471,500	$ 1,320,184,900	$ 40,973,600

WISSER'S RUDE AWAKENING.

He Is Asked to See Himself Die, and Gets Bullet in His Leg.

"Wake up and see yourself die!"

William Wisser, a negro of 702 Norton street, promptly aroused himself yesterday morning to find, he alleges, Charles Williams, another negro, standing by his bedside with a revolver. Wisser says Williams fired one shot into the floor, then directed three bullets at him, one taking effect in Wisser's leg.

Inspector Thomas H. Werner and Policeman John Cavanaugh heard the shooting, and after a short chase captured Williams. Wisser was sent to a hospital. His wound is not serious.

Returns to the Workhouse.

Robert Moore, who has been in the workhouse many times, was returned to that institution for 30 days, in default of a fine of $50, yesterday. He was charged with stealing a pair of shoes from a Liberty street grocery on Saturday. He said he did not want the shoes, but stole them that he might be sent to the workhouse.

First Mortgage Bonds.

Commonwealth Trust Company, No. 317 Fourth avenue, is offering to investors choice first mortgage bonds, yielding 5 to 5½ per cent.

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POLITICS DISTURB THE LONDON MARKET

Brokers Anticipate Check to Its Animation in Autumn—Sharp Rise in Money.

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]
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LONDON, July 30.—Had the prime minister dissolved parliament right away when the government was defeated, the stock exchange would have been better pleased, as a general election in August or September would have mattered little in Capel court, the vast majority of whose clients are either away from town or indifferent during those months. As it is, the members of the stock exchange regretfully anticipate a new factor of disturbance in the autumn, just when the markets are expected to revive into something like animation.

A sharp rise in money rates during the week was caused by the calling in of money by the banks for balance-sheet purposes, and as the result of a scarcity of credits it was found necessary to have recourse to the Bank of England for loans.

In the open market advances for the week now command in some cases 1¾ per cent, while as much as 2 per cent has been paid for money over night. Discount rates hardened slightly in sympathy with the movement in the loan market, the ruling quotation for the best three months' paper being now 1¾@1 13-16 per cent.

There was some hesitation at the opening of business on Monday owing to the situation of home politics, but when it became evident that an immediate change of government was not to be anticipated, the tone became more confident; home, government and other gilt-edged stocks developed some firmness on the continued cheapness of money, while speculations as to what took place at the interview between the kaiser and the czar, were that the circumstances pointed to a possible end of the war.

Consols improved, now being 5-16 higher than last week. There has been a strong buying of Russian and Japanese stocks, the Russian railroad series of bonds rising as much as 2½.

In British railways further dividend announcements failed to impart any degree of interest, and the traffic returns for the new half-year are discouraging; prices in consequence have given way rather heavily in numerous cases, the most noticeable instance being a fall of 3 in Brighton A. In Americans very little has been done. Under the caption, "Lethargy in Gilt-Edged Securities," the Economist says: "Though the depression which for so long characterized the stock exchange as a whole has been largely dispelled during the last 12 months and in some directions, notably foreign government securities and American railways, the dealings for some time past have been on a fairly large scale, with a proportionate advance in values, consols and their allied stocks continue to lag behind.

"The enormous creations of fresh issues of capital by the British government and other public bodies will, perhaps, be described as one of the principal causes, but this in itself is not sufficient to explain the continued depression of investment stocks, nor indeed goes sufficiently to the root of the problem presented at the present time of stagnation in the investment markets, while a fair amount of activity prevails elsewhere."

That journal recalls that the period of dirt-cheap money 10 years ago resulted in the inflation of gilt-edged securities and South African mining shares, a blow to which was given by the outbreak of the South African war, but which brought about its own Nemesis.

"The low rate at which money can be borrowed," says the Economist, "proved such a powerful inducement to extravagance on the part of municipalities and other public bodies, that an era of national municipal and personal extravagance began, the effects of which are with us to the present moment."

From next Friday night until the following Tuesday morning Capel court will be closed on account of the August bank holiday, and for another six weeks, owing to the general holiday taking, no general activity can be anticipated.

BLUE LAW CRUSADE SEEMS TO HAVE DIED

Some Shopkeepers of Allegheny Keep Their Places Open on Sunday as Usual.

Mayor Wyman has apparently tired of his blue law crusade in Allegheny. Many of the Greek and Italian stores in the central part of the city were open yesterday, and ice, soft drinks and tobacco were sold to patrons who have been denied the privilege for almost two months past.

Alderman Brinker, who has been hearing the cases brought against the violators of the ancient statutes, said yesterday there would be no informations made today. He refused to say whether or not Mayor Wyman was going to agree to the open-door policy for small stores on Sunday, but said he did not think there would be any more informations.

Some of those whose trade warranted defiance of the law opened early yesterday morning, expecting prosecution, but willing to meet it in consideration of the large profits on Sunday. Then the tip went out that the crusade was off and more timid storekeepers started business.

Special Policeman Charles Justice, who has been obtaining the information and making the charges against shopkeepers each Sunday for the past two months, was not about city hall yesterday, but it was denied that he was out working for evidence against blue law breakers.

Alderman Brinker says the informer does not get half the fines. Under the original Sunday law act, the fine was $4 in each case and half of it went to the informer, but the special act for Allegheny county makes the fine $25 in each case, no more nor no less, and all the fine goes to the county.

Sugar Bowl Used as Weapon.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., July 30.—(Special.)—Lena Gibson, a young colored girl may die from the results of a murderous attack alleged to have been made by William H. Johnson. Johnson is claimed to have beaten her over the head with a sugar bowl in a down town restaurant. Johnson is being held in the city police station.

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POWER OF MUSIC TO FIGHT SIN

The Rev. Dr. Robert W. Woods Cites Cases Where It Saved Lives and Downed Satan.

THERE'E NO SINGING IN HELL

In connection with the dedication of a new pipe organ in the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, Belmar place, yesterday morning, during which an interesting musical program was carried out, the pastor, the Rev. Dr. Robert W. Woods, delivered a dedicatory discourse on "The Power of Music."

He told of the good effect music had in ridding the soul of the devil, and cited cases where song had saved lives and stayed the hand of the corrupt. He said in part:

The Bible commands us again and again to praise the Lord, to sing songs and make melody in our hearts. The charm and power of music is wonderful. When used in Christian service and praise properly, it drives out the evil, worldly thoughts from the mind and heart, and thus prepares the soul of man to receive the eternal truths of God. Christian men and women, who have consecrated their trained voices to sing in such a way as to win sinful men to Christ their Saviour, are glorifying God, and often unconsciously are wielding one of the mightiest powers that God has given to man.

The devil is keenly conscious of the power of Christian music. The devil has suffered defeat again and again by this power of God. As one example we know of a business man in Baltimore who, on becoming bankrupt, had a suggestion of the devil to buy a revolver and shoot himself. He planned the deadly deed. He bought the revolver. On a bright Sunday morning he left his home for Druid Hill park to end his life. He, en route, passed a Lutheran church. The choir was singing sweetly a song of salvation. He stopped. He entered the church. The song and sermon of that church that morning arrested him on his evil way. He accepted Christ. He turned home a new man. He began business over again. He is today a happy, successful Christian man of Baltimore. It was the power of music that turned him from hell to heaven and saved his soul from eternal ruin.

Music moves the heart, arouses the soul, drives the evil out and brings us face to face with God. Scarcely ever before or since has such a large audience been so deeply moved to tears and lifted nearer God than when Jennie Lind, before a great audience of 20,000 people in New York city, sang "Home, Sweet Home." Those thousands of people have lived different lives ever since, and in doing so have influenced thousands more for good.

When Dr. Kane was ice-bound on his trip to the north pole it was the frequent playing of an old violinist that kept the crew from despair and mutiny. When Napoleon's army, in crossing the Alps, came to the high, steep rock, he bade his band play a certain march, and up over those massive rocks went the wagons of ammunition and the army. The surviving victors of the Crimean war join in attributing their victory to the sweet songs and sanctified services of Florence Nightingale. When the sultan of Turkey gained the siege of Bagdad he spared 20,000 to till 30,000 prisoners captured. Among these doomed prisoners was a sweet singer. He requested the executioner to grant him the privilege to sing before the sultan. It was granted. He sang for life. The sultan was deeply moved. He recalled the sentence of death and commanded that these 20,000 prisoners be set at liberty.

Think of the power of that song that saved 20,000 souls from cruel death and set them free from prison. All over the earth we find testimony of the power of music to drive out the evil and to prepare for the good. Every family should have its book of songs, and what a different and better world this would soon become if in every home Christian songs were daily sung, together with the reading of God's word and prayer.

The devil would keep you from singing songs in your home. He would break up every choir organized to sing to the glory of God. He would smash up all instruments used to praise God if he could. He would put disease in every throat. He would stop every mouth from singing, if he could. Alas, the devil has the best trained singers to accomplish his own evil plans. What mighty powers these highly gifted people could be for God and the salvation of lost souls if they would dedicate their God-given voices to His praise only.

Let everybody, everywhere, sing their sweetest songs to somebody, and everybody some time somewhere. Let us begin to praise God here on earth. We shall not preach in heaven but we shall praise God there for all eternity. Begin now.

In hell there shall never be a song sung. In that outer darkness in the bottomless pit in the unending death in hell there shall only be weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth. In heaven a new song shall be put in our mouths, and with harps in our hands and praise in our hearts we shall glorify our loving God forever.

THIS CITY GETS MEETING OF GERMAN ALLIANCE

Two Thousand Delegates to Attend Annual State Convention in Pittsburgh Next June.

The next state meeting of the German-American alliance will be held in Pittsburgh next June. This will bring 2,000 delegates to the city, and all the Germans in the county will be called upon to join in the entertainment of the visitors. News of this leaked out yesterday at the meeting of the Western Pennsylvania delegates at the hall of the East Pittsburgh Turners' association.

Three delegates and three alternates were elected at the meeting to represent the alliance at the national convention, which is to be held in Indianapolis in October. The delegates are John Yenney, Henry Arnold and H. C. Bloedel, and the alternates August Buckholz, Fred Eilers, Charles W. Ludwig and Lawrence Fuchs.

OFFERS POLICE BEER.

Polish Boarding House Keeper Running Unique Speakeasy on South Side.

Because he appropriated a keg of beer belonging to one of his boarders, Fabian Trogolsk got into trouble last night, and the police discovered a speakeasy. Mike Burkowich complained at No. 1 police station that the owner of his boarding house at 1306 Muriel street had stolen a keg of beer. Then he explained that Trogoish had a large number of boarders and that he bottled beer at home and sold it to those living in the house.

Each payday the purchasers turned in the money for the beer checks they had been given. Trogoish admitted Capt. Alt and Lieut. McAfee to the house and offered to sell them a bottle of beer for 7 cents, the regular price. When the police started to place all those in the house under arrest Trogoish fled, but was arrested later when he appeared to put up forfeits for the appearance of his boarders.

Falls from Window Into Yard.

Verner Mix, aged 20, of 204 North avenue, west, Allegheny, fell from a rear window of the second floor of his home, at 1:30 a. m. yesterday and was badly cut about the face and head. He was found in the yard unconscious half an hour later. Dr. Walter Ure, who lives next door, called an ambulance and had the young man sent to the Allegheny General hospital.

Is Charged With Theft of Purse.

James E. Williams of 1616 Mill street, Williamsburg, was committed to jail yesterday by Magistrate E. C. Negley on a charge of larceny from the person, preferred by Mrs. Elizabeth Fuller of Uniontown, Pa. Mrs. Fuller alleges that Williams snatched her pocketbook containing $25 at Linden and McPherson avenues.

Catcher McAfee in Bad Shape.

James McAfee, a catcher on the Frick baseball team, is at the Passavant hospital in a serious condition, the result of rupturing a blood vessel in his nose while playing Saturday week ago. Last Saturday he started to play when his nose began to bleed. He was in a dangerous condition all day yesterday, but last night the flow of blood was materially lessened and it is thought he will recover.

Business Men Benefited

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TELLS THE ART OF LIFE FROM MINISTER'S VIEW

The Rev. J. W. G. Fast Speaks of the Trials to Be Overcome and How.

Under the sermon title of "The Art of Living," the Rev. J. W. G. Fast gave an example to follow in right living from the pulpit of the Oakland Methodist Episcopal church yesterday morning. He cited how evil examples in commercial pursuits tended to carry the wanderer out of life's best pathway, and said in part:

Of all the arts, the most difficult is that of right living. Away back in the beginning, God is represented as having said to the first man, "Let him have dominion over the fish of the sea, the fowl of the air, the cattle, and over all the earth;" and thus it has been in every realm that man has conquered, but this problem of right living has often failed. The very things, a strong body, genius, intellectual power which insure success in dealing with other problems, do not make certain that a man can live the life of righteousness, justice and charity.

Sin seems to have the upper hand. Man would always sail towards some fair haven, but contrary winds impede him. In our supremest moments, when our eyes are upon the stars, and our ears catch strains of heavenly music, sights and sounds of evil break the spell. These are alluring and this makes life a struggle.

Human life is a drama; no sooner has youth fairly entered upon life, than the fight thickens; he sees the strong take the sidewalk while the weak go to the wall; he finds more evil than good; he finds cotton in silk; water in his milk; chicory in his coffee; adulteration in his food, slag in his coal; water in his railway stock; nothing in his silver mine. Becoming wiser, the youth searches out causes; he beholds iniquities organized into laws; strength oppressing weakness, and an army of parasites living on the industries. Becoming sordid, his motto now is, every man for himself, and the devil take the hindmost.

To teach men this art of life Jesus has left no stone unturned. Let us consider what men have termed the saving work of Jesus, centering as it does in his death—as a witness to the abundant life which He gives men. The very terms by which this work has been expressed are honest attempts to indicate the fullness of the life which He gives. Atonement, regeneration, redemption, conversion and sanctification, all these tell us the great truth, that Jesus takes away sin and in taking away sin opens up a new life. Sin in its last analysis is that which separates man from God. Adam's sin drove him from paradise, and our sins drive us from a paradise as beautiful and as pleasant as fair Eden.

Jesus in comparison with men, has embodied in His life the highest and the best. No one seems to doubt that He was faultless. When Pilate said, "I find no fault in Him," Pilate uttered the conclusion of all men who have analyzed His character and compared Him with other men. He was born in the lowest obscurity, yet He has impressed the world so mightily that His name is above every name. He had no army except a few wavering friends. He wrote no book to preserve His sayings. He evolved no system of teaching or life, save as He told men to love God and their fellow men. Yet the names of earth's greatest—Plato, Caesar, Napoleon, Gladstone, Spurgeon, Livingstone—do not compare with His name. By sheer force of a life, embodying all that is best and highest, He draws men to Himself. This makes Jesus the very source of life. The closer we live then to this source of life, the better we shall learn the art of true living.

In these bodies of ours, the heart, that wonderful little engine, is the organ that keeps up circulation; if the heart does its work, there is elasticity in the step, and feeling in the tips of the fingers. But let the heart cease, and at once the whole body collapses. Jesus is the heart of the best and highest life. Only as we dwell in Him and He in us, will we learn the true art of life and feel in every phase of our life the animation of the spirit which was in Him. He teaches us the art of life, also, by being our supreme example. For life under every condition, Jesus stands as the example. He has blazed the way, and bids us follow.

LARGE CROWDS ATTEND CAMP MEETING SERVICES

Three Meetings Are Held Yesterday and Interesting Program for Future Is Planned.

Large crowds attended the three services at the fifty-fifth session of the Pittsburgh-Tarentum camp meeting, near Tarentum, yesterday. The auditorium was filled to its capacity and all the cottages and the hotel at the camp grounds are now filled with guests. The Rev. Dr. W. H. Crawford, president of Allegheny college, Meadville, conducted the services at 10:30 a. m. At 2:30 p. m. the Rev. Charles A. Tushingham of Pittsburgh preached, and at the evening service at 7:30 o'clock the Rev. G. D. Crissman of the Sewickley Methodist Episcopal church spoke.

The camp meeting will continue until August 13, with services daily, afternoon and evening services being held on week days and three services on Sunday. Thursday, August 3, will be Children's day, and services will be conducted at 10:30 a. m. by the Rev. N. B. Tannehill of Sharpsburg, at 2:30 p. m. the Rev. George Orbin will deliver an address to children, and the evening services at 7:30 o'clock will be conducted by the Rev. William Medley of Clayton, Pa. Children from most of the towns in the Allegheny valley will take part in the services.

Tuesday, August 8, will be Old Folks' day, and will be celebrated with special services. Thursday, August 10, will be Epworth League day. Friday, August 11, the camp meeting communion services will be held, and Sunday, August 13, will be G. A. R. day and services will be conducted by the Eli Hemphill post of Tarentum. During the entire session of the camp meeting all Protestant churches in Tarentum will be closed.

BIG CROWD FINDS SHELTER.

Covered Attractions at Luna Park Thrown Open Free During Heavy Rain Storm.

An unusual method of protecting a large throng from the fierce rain storms which are so frequent these days in Pittsburgh has been put in operation successfully at Luna park. On Saturday night the illuminated park was filled with pleasure seekers. About 10:30 o'clock a heavy rain broke suddenly.

Manager Ingersoll has given careful instructions to his entire staff for just such an emergency and immediately every door in the park leading to shelter was thrown open and attendants urged the thousands of people to enter the various theaters and covered attractions free of charge. In a few minutes the park presented a deserted appearance.

The people were in the park, but under shelter. The storm continued for an hour and during this time the inside shows were kept going for the entertainment of those imprisoned by the elements. At midnight the rain had stopped and plenty of street cars had been provided to take the crowd home.

DEDICATION IN BRADDOCK.

Slavonic Church Buildings Are Now Ready for Occupancy.

The school, convent and parish house of St. Michael's Roman Catholic Slavonic church, Robinson street, Braddock, were dedicated yesterday afternoon. The ceremony was preceded by a parade in which eight bands marched. The procession was headed by 100 boys and girls, the latter wearing wreaths and carrying flowers. The boys chanted hymns. There were 1,000 in the line, including 200 mounted men and 40 carriages. Thirty Slavonic societies were represented.

The dedicatory sermon was preached by the Rev. Father Stephen Uhralic, rector of the Duquesne Slavonic church. Assisting in the exercises were Father Kittell, chancellor of the diocese; Father O'Connor, of the Church of the Epihany, and Father McCloskey, of St. Peter's church, Allesheny. The buildings are of pressed brick and cost $85,000. The rector is the Rev. Father Adelbert Kazincy.

Three Bullets for Intruder.

William Smith, a negro, is at the McKeesport hospital with three bullet wounds in his stomach, and not expected to live. He went to the boarding house of W. H. Cooper, also a negro, at 141 Brick alley, McKeesport, early yesterday morning, and quarreled with John Willis. Cooper drove him out and Smith shot at him, the bullet grazing Cooper's abdomen. Cooper then drew a revolver and fired at Smith, hitting him three times.

RECITES HIS REASONS FOR CONGRATULATION

Found in Assurance of Christ's Coming and Final End Eternal Salvation.

"A Congregation to Be Congratulated" was the subject chosen by the Rev. Dr. J. T. McCrory for his sermon yesterday in the Third U. P. church. Speaking from the text, "We give thanks to God always for you all," first Thess. 1:2, he said:

This is the first pastoral greeting Paul ever wrote. He sent it to the first congregation he organized in his mission in Europe. It is a message of congratulation. We gather from this first chapter what it was in them that disposed Paul, speaking by inspiration, to congratulate them. It is well for us to note the things in a congregation on which the Spirit of God fixes as the things worthy of special attention.

Referring to the account in the 17th chapter of the Acts of the preaching of the gospel in Thessalonica we find Paul just told the old old story of the cross; the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ as the Messiah. Happy indeed is the church that has a minister who will stick to that message. This fact is pressing itself on the world as never before. "The gospel of 'Science'" of "Progress," of "Humanity," of "Sweetness and Light," of "Evolution," of "Culture" and all the rest of them have been popular with the people for a time, but thank God they are going out of fashion, and the old gospel of the Cross is coming to the fore once again.

Paul employs the word "Power" to contrast the message that came to them with other preaching; a preaching true enough in its content but lacking energy in its expression. Paul preached with a soul on fire and those who heard him were to be congratulated. His message was with power. Not everything depends on the message or the messenger. Noah's message to the antidiluvians was as true and earnest as was Jonah's to the wicked inhabitants of Nineveh, but the former perished and the latter were saved. A formal reception into the church is a good thing, but real confirmation is a quite different and much better thing, and that was what these Christians possessed. Their high expectation—they were to be there to greet the descending Saviour and enter with Him into His eternal glory. And they shall not be disappointed. They may have got a wrong impression as to the time of His return, but as to the fact they were not mistaken. And that is one of the chief things about which a congregation may be congratulated—the assurance of the coming of Jesus Christ and their final and eternal salvation. Oh! that will be glory.

TAKES ITS READERS INTO MANY PLEASANT PATHS

Manifold Features of Sunday Gazette Make of It a Journal Worthy of Preservation.

The Gazette of yesterday was a compendium of information and contained a variety of choice fiction and feature matter which had been especially prepared for Sunday readers. In addition it had several departments of especial value to business men and, aside from its literary worth, was worthy of preservation as a valued journal of real estate reference. The Sunday Gazette aims to take its readers into new fields each week. That it succeeds in this and that the paths trod are pleasant ones, is evidenced by the ever increasing number of its Sunday friends. We pass over the news columns, for it is now a well known fact that when anything happens, no matter when, or where, or how, a glance at The Sunday Gazette finds a recital of it, told succinctly. The news of Saturday was varied enough to please all classes of readers. It was all in The Sunday Gazette, and here are some of the essential items:

The Japanese were unusually demonstrative in their attentions to Secretary Taft and party. Strong Japanese forces are trying to get between Vladivostok and the Russian Manchurian army. England would welcome arrangements with France to check moves made by the German emperor.

C. M. Schwab's Chicago Pneumatic Tool Company will fight the rock drill trust. Senator C. M. Depew has returned from Europe but refused to make a statement. Carrie Nation's picture, hanging on the walls of the historical society in the Kansas capital, was destroyed. Seven deaths from yellow fever occurred in New Orleans, 9 new cases were reported and two cases developed in Jefferson parish, near the city. Twenty-five persons, two of whom are seriously ill, were taken from a yellow fever infected steamer arriving at New York from Colon. President has ordered the nitro-culture case before the legal department. Mayor Dunne predicted that Chicago will have municipal street railways in operation within a few months. It is definitely stated that Secretary of Agriculture Wilson is not to be retired. Work on the Panama canal will be pushed as fast as possible, precedence being given to the work of sanitation. Secretary of Internal Affairs Brown complains about the Pennsylvania Republican state organization. Suit has been brought by the borough of Washington to restrain the State Mutual Telephone Company from entering that town.

Director Bigelow and Mayor Hays announced the abandonment of the hump project, but Bigelow will attempt to have new grades established on the hump for an 18-foot cut. Fourth trade excursion of the M. and M. will comprise a trip up the Monongahela river. The Baltimore & Ohio has increased its operating forces on local divisions. Quarter sessions court affirmed the judgment of Magistrate Samuel Abernathey in fining Minnie Hamler and the inmates of her house. Judge Young refused to restrain the Pennsylvania Railroad Company from erecting its elevated line on Duquesne way. Mayor Wyman is preparing to flop into the Orphans party.

Stock market was moderately active and firm, closing slightly below the best prices. New York bank loans increased nearly $18,500,000, and are now at the highest level of the year. Wheat continued weak.

The Pirates returned home from the eastern trip and beat Brooklyn 13 to 0. The San Francisco fight fans are demanding a finish battle between Britt and Nelson. By losing two games the Cleveland team drops from first place in the American league. Chicago going to the front. Cy Seymour is still leading batsman in the National league, with Hans Wagner second. James R. Keene's Sysonby won the Brighton Beach derby, defeating Artful with ease.

STOPS THE STREET CARS; WANTS TO MOVE THE HUMP

Joseph Snyder of 2248 Wylie avenue was arrested last night for stopping street cars at Sixth avenue and Cherry alley. He stood in the middle of the street and directed the motormen to go round some other way because he meant to begin at once to remove the hump by order of Director Bigelow.

Braddock Boy Loses Leg.

John Beecler, aged 14, was run over by a train on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad last evening at Braddock and had his right leg cut off. He was removed to the Homestead hospital. His home is at 1252 River street, Braddock.

ZEAL AS AGENT FOR KNOWLEDGE

Allegheny Minister Says It Is Needed for Gaining Intelligence That Is Human.

HOW IT SHOULD BE DIRECTED

The Rev. A. C. Dieffenbach, pastor of the Episcopal Church of the Ascension, Allegheny, preached yesterday from the subject, "The Zeal of Knowledge." He said:

For the naturalist whose observations are in the field of humankind it must become more and more fixed that the defects of the race are due to zeal without knowledge, and knowledge without zeal. The willingness of the incompetent and the incompetence of the unwilling is a phenomenon which those who have given themselves to human service meet every day. With all of our unequaled madness on the subject of education, which by some is called our god, it yet remains true that the products of our institutions of learning have not gained that rare gift which combines both of the elements of high living—zeal and knowledge.

I submit that Jesus Christ, who knew what was in man, and who knew the Father as none other could know Him, conciets the world of His power by these great gifts. The perfectness of His life, with its beauteous love and its incomparable service, are the flower of His zeal and His knowledge. With Him as the supreme example, we turn to the history of men, and we find them to be in every case high among humans according as they have made the warp and woof of their eternal fabric to consist of these elemental qualities.

It is not for me to discuss the exact place that knowledge holds in the virtues of the race. But that it is a cardinal virtue no one will deny. Not, to be sure, does the gathering of facts or the classifying of data—which may leave a man inhuman and superficial—constitute knowledge, but such a world-wide view of God's universe as to make man see that there is a spirit of right, and that no knowledge can be worthy of the name which has not as its ruling passions and its dominate zeal the doing of the truth. For, after all, the truth is something to be done.

The man who says he knows better than his conduct indicates, lies. A man cannot know with all of his faculty for knowing, and choose any other course than the following out of his knowledge. Someone has spoken wisely who says that if we were infinitely wise, or knowing, we should be infinitely good. A man who chooses other than the right when he ought to know, and in a sense does know, is simply a victim of knowledge which is unvital and unzealous. In other words, when zeal is not the handmaiden of knowledge, knowledge loses its way, and the intellectual gift is worse than useless.

Whose heart has not wept at the most lamentable of spectacles, a man or woman of fine talent gone to hell for sheer lack of zeal in doing that which he or she perceives to be the true and the good? Who has not cried out in his inconsistency for the fine fervor of childhood in times of adequate but unhuman knowledge of the righteousness of God?

In the church family there is another truth which it is necessary continually to proclaim. Notwithstanding the indisputable fact that the history of religion and the history of the church show the leaders to have been men prodigious of intellect, many of us somehow disparage brains in the church's affairs. We want spirituality, but not intellectuality. What nonsense! Zeal should not be merely the fruit of knowledge, but the chief and only agent for more knowledge.

If we need zeal in the church, much more it seems to me do we need zeal, specifically directed to the gaining of knowledge. Knowledge, that is, which is not ecclesiastical, but knowledge, above all things, that is human. For we must come to believe, if we do not, that all things human are Christian, and that all knowledge, whether of the soil or of the sea, and whether of the soul of the savage or of the exemplary Christian, is to be apprehended, and to be used for the glory of God and the good of men.

STOVE UPSET DURING FIGHT; HURT WOMAN DISAPPEARS

During a fight between John Stopinsh and Thomas Hotinck at the former's home, 82 South Seventh street, last night, the stove was upset and fell on Mrs. Stopinsh's leg. When the police arrested the two men the woman got away and the neighbors said her leg was broken. Search was made for her, that she might be sent to a hospital, but she could not be found. Both men were badly hurt in the fight, but the woman suffered most.

Girl Kept Prisoner in Woods.

Elizabeth Magruder, aged 14, of 217 Olive street, McKeesport, was enticed from her home Saturday morning by a man and kept a prisoner all day in the woods, near Richland cemetery, Dravosburg. She was brutally assaulted and is said to have been given a dose of morphine. The girl returned home Saturday night and is in a serious condition. The police of McKeesport and Pittsburgh are looking for David Dickson, aged 33, of McKeesport, who was an acquaintance of the girl.

Has Knife Wound in Back.

During a fight in Clay alley last evening between a number of Italians, Anthony Morine of 33 Poplar alley, was stabbed in the back. Officers were unable to learn the name of his assailant. They sent Morine to the Homeopathic hospital and locked James Morine, his brother, in the Central station, as a witness. The wounded man is not dangerously hurt.

THE THREE RIVERS

The stage of water at Davis island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 8.4 feet, and the river was rising.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, O., July 30.—At 6 p. m. today the stage of the Ohio river was 12.2 feet and falling. Departures of packets from the port of Cincinnati were: Courier, Maysville, and City of Cincinnati, Louisville. On account of the heavy rains which have fallen in the mountains of Virginia, a run of water is due out of the Licking some time tomorrow.

LOUISVILLE—River falling; in canal, 5.3 feet; on falls, 3.7 feet; below locks, 12.8 feet. Cloudy and warm.

WARREN—River 2 feet 9 inches and stationary. Heavy rains.

STEUBENVILLE—River 3 feet 9 inches and rising. Cloudy, warm. Up: Bessie Smith, 8 a. m.; Kanawha, 2:30 p. m.; Keystone State, 4 p. m. Down: Lorena, 9:30 a. m.; Virginia, 4 p. m.

OIL CITY—River 6 feet 4 inches and rising. Clear and cooler.

MORGANTOWN—River 5 feet 6 inches and rising. Cloudy.

GALLIPOLIS—River 6 feet and falling. Cloudy and hot.

WHEELING—River 3 feet 8 inches and rising. Cloudy, cooler. Departed: Peoria Smith, Pittsburgh, 5 a. m.; Kanawha, Pittsburgh, 11 a. m.; Lorena, Zanesville, 11 a. m.; Keystone State, Pittsburgh, 11:30 a. m.; Virginia, Cincinnati, 8 p. m.

PARKERSBURG—River 6 feet and falling. Clear and warm. The Greenland passed down at 4 a. m.; the Virginia due tonight, will not be down till 8 tomorrow morning.

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